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PRAIRIE IS STILL AGROUND

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 3.—Working in a dense fog, seven tugs to-day struggled to pull the auxiliary cruiser Prairie, with Rear Admiral Kimball aboard and carrying 700 marines destined for Nicaragua, off the bar on which she stuck in the Delaware river.

The report was made early to-day from Fort Delaware that the cruiser had been successfully floated, but this was later found to have been an error, due to the heavy fog.

It had been hoped that she would get off at high tide, 3:30 o'clock, this morning. Although strenuous efforts were made by the seven tugs aiding the Prairie to get her free, there came a let-up when it was declared that the vessel might not stand the strain.

When the first attempts failed reinforcements were sent from Reedy Island, two lighters and another tug being ordered to proceed to the point near Fort Delaware where she went on the mud near Pea Patch Island.

It was decided that if all attempts to get her free as she lay failed, part of the cargo of the cruiser would be taken out. She carries stores and ammunition.

CAPTURE ZELAYA PRESENT PLAN OF UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The State Department to-day preserved its attitude of silence on the Nicaraguan crisis, but it became known that plans were being carefully formulated to capture President Zelaya, who is believed to have authorized to loot the Nicaraguan treasury and flee.

The Navy Department was advised to-day that the gunboat Eagle had arrived at Bluefields from Port Limon. The United States steamer Leonidas sailed from Charleston, S. C., to-day with a cargo of coal for the United States warships at Port Limon and nearby ports.

The large number of ships under orders to proceed to Central America are not needed to whip Zelaya, military and naval experts say, but will be used merely to guard the coast, thus trapping the firebrand if he tries to flee.

Furthermore, the warships are handy if any general warfare in Central America is incited by the present crisis. It is known that some of them decidedly dislike the attitude taken by Secretary Knox in his note flaying Zelaya, and fear a general American protectorate.

The diplomatic representatives of the Central American republics are known to

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A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

UNDER "OLD GLORY"

This is a photograph made in Ludlow, Mass., yesterday. It shows a group of women and children huddled about a stove in the street. The State of Massachusetts is trying, in a mild way, to bring about an arbitrator of the labor dispute which has made this photograph possible. In the meanwhile private citizens are engaged in an effort to make it impossible, by removing the women and children to places of protection. You can assist.

STATE CONFERENCE ON LUDLOW STRIKE

Frothingham, Councillor Barry and Representative of Polish National Alliance Meet at State House—State Board of Arbitration Sent to Ludlow.

A conference on the Ludlow strike and eviction troubles took place at the State House this afternoon between Lieutenant Governor Frothingham, Councillor Edward P. Barry and Jan Romaszkiewick, representing the Polish National Alliance.

Councillor Barry and Mr. Romaszkiewicz returned to Boston to-day on the noon express from Springfield and went directly to the State House. They were in Ludlow and Springfield all day yesterday. Mr. Romaszkiewicz went there by invitation of the councillor, met Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham, talked with the strikers and learned from them much which has not heretofore been printed about the real causes of the strike.

As president of the Polish Young Men's Association and a representative of the Polish National Alliance, Mr. Romaszkiewick had the confidence of the Polish strikers at Ludlow. He was able to talk with them directly, thus avoiding the trouble of an interpreter.

Just before going to the State House this afternoon to see Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. Romaszkiewick said to the BOSTON AMERICAN:

States Strikers' Case.

"The machinery in Ludlow mills was originally run by water power. The company put in steam and electric power. Then the company cut the weavers' wages from twenty-four cents to twenty cents per hundred yards because, as the company claimed, the machines ran faster and the men could turn out bigger cuts with the higher speed.

"As a matter of fact, the machines, under the high speed, intensified and made harder the work of the weavers and wore them out quicker. It was a human impossibility for the weavers to keep up to the speed and to do the additional work which the company put on them after the cruel boys left.

"The reason the operatives are in the strong Ludlow tenements is because they have no other place to go. The Ludlow Manufacturing Associates control all the decent houses in the town and there is no shelter outside of these houses. Of necessity, therefore, the goods of the evicted strikers must remain in the streets, and the people, too.

"The reported offer of the corporation to store goods is not true. The corporation did not make any such offer.

Criticises Selectmen.

"The selectmen of Ludlow—obliging to the corporation—have said they would take the goods from the street and store them, which is merely a subterfuge. The selectmen have no desire to help the strikers. The selectmen want to hamper the strikers by removing the reason for living in the open and so prevent the real truth about affairs being known.

"At 10 o'clock to-day—ten hours before Councillor Barry and Mr. Romaszkiewick arrived here from Ludlow—the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration left for Springfield and Ludlow. The State Board acted on its own initiative.

Burke Continues Query.

At the same time Immigration Inspector William J. Burke, from the Boston Immigration Headquarters, continued his investigation in Ludlow to-day regarding charges of violation of the contract labor law in the corporation. Inspector Burke represents the Federal Government in this manysided mess into the Ludlow troubles. He continued to-day taking affidavits from Ludlow employes concerning the manner in which they came to this country.

The whole moral influence of the State, backed by its legal authority so far as possible, is now being exercised to bring to a settlement the issue between the Ludlow

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NEW CLEW AIDS MISS LE BLANC

Important new information received today by Nathan A. Tufts, senior counsel for Hattie Le Blanc, believed to be in relation to the mystery found near the Waltham laundry after Chauncey F. Glover was acquitted, caused the young lawyer to hurry to the East Cambridge jail for a conference with his accused girl.

At the same time the private detectives on the employ of the defence of the girl sent detectives out to work on the new clews that they have received. So far as could be learned from the lawyers and others, they are working on the theory that the weapon found near the Waltham laundry is not one that belonged to Chauncey F. Glover, although it is of the same calibre as one that he owned.

Police Have Revolver.

Should this belief of the lawyers for Hattie Le Blanc prove true, they will have a clew that may lead to the solution of the remarkable crime. The revolver in the possession of the police, and the size of the bullets which it is, has been one of the mysteries of the tragedy.

The police have given out different information at different times as to the calibre of the weapon found. At one time some of the policemen would say on the case let it be known that the revolver was of thirty-eight calibre, then it was reported from another source that it was only of thirty-two calibre. After the inquest it was stated that the bullets found in Glover's body fitted the revolver that was picked up near the laundry, but no one who knew declared that the ownership of the revolver had been established beyond a doubt.

The theory of the defence is that the weapon found and with which Glover was shot was the property of some one else, and that when the ownership of the weapon is traced that a new flood of light will be thrown upon the mystery.

Costly Coat in Auto.

When Glover's automobile was found standing alone in the street some distance from the laundry after the tragedy it contained a $65 overcoat, and the spark plug of the machine was missing. It was a mystery for a few days as to where the spark plug was. Then the report reached the public that it had been found in the trousers pocket of the dead man.

The lawyers for the defence to-day heard that the spark plug was not found in the pocket of the dead man, but that a spark plug was produced with the explanation that it had been found in the bottom of the automobile.

When Lawyers Tufts and Morton saw Hattie Le Blanc to-day in company with the Rev. Father Rabel, who acted as interpreter, they asked her particularly about having seen Glover with a revolver on the night he met her death. They also asked her about his weapons in the house, where he kept them, how many he had, their size, character and so forth.

The information that they obtained the young lawyers refused to divulge when they left the jail. It was learned, however, that with the addition of giving details that slipped her memory because of the excitement under which she had labored in the past, the girl stuck steadfastly to her first assertion that she did not shoot Glover.

"I Did Not Shoot Him."

"I did not shoot him," she told the lawyers over and over again. "I do not know who shot him. I did not have his revolver in my hand. I never shot a revolver in my life."

The girl was more cheerful and more confident to-day than on any day since her arrest. Officials of the prison who have kept a sharp eye on her declare that if the girl has murder on her conscience she is the most remarkable prisoner they have ever seen in the East Cambridge jail.

Her lawyers have the girl's full statement of what took place in the laundry on the fateful night now, and it is probable that she will not be interviewed again before her arraignment next Wednesday unless there are new developments that make it necessary.

For further details of this story see Page 8.

NOMINATION FRAUDS FOR GRAND JURY

Fraudulent nomination papers have been found among those filed by candidates for city offices with the Board of Election Commissioners. The Board has decided to lay the facts before the Suffolk County Grand Jury and has turned the papers over to District Attorney Pelletier.

District Attorney Pelletier to-day held a long conference with the Election Commissioners in regard to these papers which were either fraudulently made or to which fraudulent signatures were affixed. Corporation Counsel Babcock, the board and District Attorney Pelletier were in conference all morning. This afternoon, the following statement was given out by John M. Minton, chairman of the Commission:

"In the examination of nomination papers filed in this office, the Election Board came to the conclusion that some of the nomination papers were falsely made. The board decided it would not certify these fraudulent papers and called in the corporation counsel to confer with them on the matter. His opinion confirmed the board in its decision.

"At the request of the Election Board the District Attorney was called into conference, and at the meeting at the Election Commissioners' office the corporation counsel, the district attorney and the entire board being present. It was decided to lay the facts before the grand jury."

Chairman Minton refused to say whether the papers which had been declared fraudulent were for candidates for Council or a mayoralty candidate.

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MRS. STORROW IS SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID

Mrs. James J. Storrow has typhoid fever, contracted in Germany. On the steamship returning from Bremen Mrs. Storrow was confined to her stateroom the whole way back and had to be carried from the vessel to the Boston train, and thence to the Storrow residence at No. 417 Beacon street.

Mrs. Storrow spent several months in Europe last Summer, and there she was joined by her son, James J. Storrow, Jr. The young man was attacked by typhoid fever and Mrs. Storrow attended him in his illness. Mr. Storrow, himself, hurried over to the bedside. He left when the young man began to recover and then his wife was stricken on her way home. She landed in New York on Wednesday. Dr. Charles P. Putnam is attending her.

Mr. Storrow said to-day that his wife's attack of fever was not severe.

CHAIR OF KOA LOG FOR THE PRESIDENT

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 3.—President Taft will have a new chair, which is being made in one of the local furniture factories. It is a souvenir of the trip he made as Secretary of War to Japan and the Philippines. At that time members of the party secured several koa logs. These were brought home and seasoned, and, after being sawed into lumber here, are being made into chairs for various members of the party.

KING AS ARBITRATOR.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—King Edward, through the foreign office, formally accepted to-day the invitation to act as arbitrator of the Alsop claim dispute between the United States and Chile.

Piper Heidsieck costs a little more than ordinary tobacco because it is manufactured of better material.

'ENVELOPES IN RUSSELL CASE FIXED OVER'

Dr. Albert H. Hamilton, the government handwriting expert, was cross-examined again to-day by Attorney Proctor, counsel for William C. Russell in the Russell will contest in the Probate Court, East Cambridge.

Dr. Hamilton said that he had examined the edges of some of the envelopes which had contained the letters alleged to have been forged and from which the postage stamps had been removed. He said that he regarded the cutting of these stamps from the envelopes as significant and thought it had been done recently.

He said that the absence of a back cancellation stamp on one of the envelopes was suspicious. This envelope was addressed to one of the members of the Russell family at Heiser, N. Y. There was no Helena cancellation stamp mark on it.

Of another envelope the doctor said: "Although the cancellation stamp is a genuine one the address on the envelope overlaps the stamp." The doctor added that through the use of a microscope he found that these had been writing in lead pencil on the envelope, but that it had been erased.

Attorneys Simpson and Proctor became involved in a controversy over certain questions which the latter was asking. Proctor smilingly said: "Don't you worry, Mr. Simpson."

Quick as a flash, Attorney Simpson replied: "Mr. Proctor, I have passed the worrying stage. You are worrying now."

Dr. Hamilton will be followed on the stand by Professor A. H. Gill, chief chemist at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, an expert in inks.

THE WEATHER.

Unsettled, generally fair to-night and Saturday. Light, variable winds.

Sun rises—6:56 a. m.; sets—4:12 p. m.
Moon rises—10:39 p. m.
High tide—3:46 a. m.; 4:00 p. m.

'HARMON KEPT COW AND AUTO DOWN CELLAR'

William J. Powers, a grocery clerk, a witness in the trial of James M. Harmon for the murder of Maud Hartley, to-day told of a conversation with the defendant the day before the shooting, in which Harmon told him in one breath that he had bought an automobile for $140 and was keeping it in a cellar and in the next that he had a cow which he was also keeping in a cellar.

According to the witness, Harmon, after making this statement, went into a rubber store and came out with a toy of tobacco in his hand. "He kept tapping the box," said the witness, "and saying, 'good old cow.' Just before he went into the store he told me he was going to milk the cow. When he came out I asked him if he had milked her and he said, 'No, the old son of a gun was asleep in the cellar.'"

Testimony as to the alleged insane acts of James Harmon was continued after the opening of court at 9:40 a. m. The first witness was Percy A. Hall, proprietor of a store in Davis square, Somerville. He testified:

"In the Spring of 1908 I saw Harmon drive an automobile into Davis square from Day street at the rate of about thirty-five miles an hour and crash into a street car. He was going at such a rate that although he put on the emergency brake he could not stop the car in time to avert the accident. I have seen him cross the railroad tracks at the square at from thirty to thirty-five miles an hour. Speed limit at that point is eight miles."

Guy H. Proctor of Somerville, a Boston automobile agent, testified that Harmon worked for him during the Spring and Summer of 1906 and for a few weeks in 1907. He said:

"Harmon was very peculiar; in fact, he was the most peculiar boy I ever saw in my life. One day he said he wanted to speak to me about a very serious matter. He said there were six or eight men in the factory who he claimed had conspired

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CURTIS IN PLAN TO OUST M'CARTHY?

There was a stir of excitement at the Boston Custom House to-day when it was heard there, through a Washington dispatch to the BOSTON AMERICAN, that Edwin Upton Curtis, the new collector of the port of Boston, had been in consultation there with the Treasury Department officials and afterwards went with Senator Lodge to the White House to talk with President Taft. The dispatch states:

"Mr. Curtis succeeds Collector Lyman, whose administration has been subjected to criticism by the Treasury Department. It is understood that the collector will reorganize the customs service in Boston."

At the Custom House here it was claimed that Collector Lyman has never been criticised and that all the fire had been directed at Surveyor of the Port Bernard J. McCarthy, a Charlestown leader in the Republican party, who for some time has been at odds with both Senators Lodge and Crane.

It is believed that Colector Curtis went to Washington to consult with the President and Treasury chiefs as to what he is to do to Surveyor McCarthy. He has been but two years put to serve under the term of his appointment. That is said to think highly of him personally.

The questions asked in political and customs circles is whether the Presidential friendship will be withdrawn from McCarthy and whether McCarthy will be allowed to serve his term or if an attempt will be made to oust him.

Men who are supposed to be in his confidence say that Expert Examiner Curtis will wage war on McCarthy, who is accused by Lyman's friends as being responsible for the discord in the Boston Custom House. It was reported that the Treasury Department when James H. Reynolds, a Lodge political protege, was first assistant secretary.

But McCarthy's friends are outspoken in his defence and claim the investigation of the New York Custom House sugar frauds vindicated him. They were not depressed over the attack upon Reynolds that grew out of fraud disclosures. They regard Reynolds as McCarthy's particular foe in the Treasury Department and say that McCarthy would have corrected abuses in the Boston Custom House if he had not been shorn of authority.

M'PHAIL OUT AS HEAD OF UNION NO. 13

Norman E. McPhail, president of Boston Typographical Union, No. 13, L. T. U., to-day tendered his resignation to the membership of the body in a speech delivered by the officers of the organization. Mr. McPhail will leave shortly for Los Angeles, Cal.

For some time Mr. McPhail has been contemplating resigning as head of the Typographical Union, but was prevailed upon time and again to reconsider his intention. He has held the office for the past two years and a half, and has conducted the work entrusted to him in a manner that won the commendation of the members of the craft.

He will be succeeded by Vice-President John J. Chase.

HEAR GAS COMPANY ON CONTRACT PLANS

President James L. Richards of the Massachusetts Gas Companies appeared before the Board of this and Electric Light Commissioners to-day on behalf of a petition of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company and the New England Gas & Coke Company, asking the board to approve a contract between the two companies, under the terms of which the Consolidated Company purchases much of its gas from the coke company. There was no opposition.

DOES RAISE IN PAY MAKE NEW OFFICE?

Officials of the State civil service commission refused to-day to discuss the matter of the appointment of Jesse S. Wiley to be sewn accountant in Brookline, beyond stating that the commission will look into the matter with a view to deciding whether the Board of Selectmen in raising the salary of the office from $1,200 to $2,000 created a new position.

GOVERNMENT ALL READY TO 'NAB' ZELAYA

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be apprehensive of the course of the State Department, but at the same time their general enmity for Zelaya has induced them to give the United States their support as far as it counts.

Senor Castrillo, the representative of General Estrada, has been busy conferring with the ministers of the other southern nations and a concerted move for the recognition of Estrada, or at least the official elimination of Zelaya, which was predicted to-day. Among those whom Senor Castrillo has seen are Minister Calvo of Costa Rica, Minister Carbo of Ecuador, Minister Herrarte of Guatemala and Minister Mejia of Salvador.

General Dislike for Zelaya.

Another thing that has alarmed the envoys from the south is the stand of Secretary Knox toward Chile in the Alsop claim case and the bluntness of his letter to Minister Cruse of Chile. In spite of the fears aroused by this and the letter of dismissal to Senor Rodriguez, Nicaraguan Vice-Consul, the southern ministers stand together in their dislike for Zelaya.

Senor Castrillo to-day declared that he had secured details from J. J. Livingston of New York regarding the printing of $4,000,000 bank bills there for Zelaya, at a cost of $75,000. The bills are to be

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rushed to Managua within a short time, according to Castrillo, although they are practically worthless.

Despite rumors of a general disaffection in Central America it was observed that the determination of the government to proceed against Nicaragua was to-day apparently being prosecuted with greater vigor than ever.

Vicksburg at Corinto.

Cable advices from Nicaragua to-day stated that the cruiser Vicksburg is now anchored in the harbor of Corinto, with her guns trained on the town and her decks cleared for action. Greytown is at the mercy of the United States marines if any overt move is made.

The first move against an American by either the rebel leader, Estrada, or President Zelaya, will be the signal for the landing of a heavy force of marines in Nicaragua and the opening of hostilities.

The Government is concentrating its forces at Colon, within easy striking distance of the Nicaraguan coast.

It was reported to-day that President Taft is to ask, in a special message to Congress, permission for the establishment of a protectorate, ostensibly for the protection of American citizens. But without waiting for this the State Department to-day was prepared to carry into effect immediately a vigorous policy of enforcing peace and exacting reprisals from Zelaya for the assassination of Cannon and Groce.

News of a counter revolution by Iris Zelaya's aid, was received to-day. It is possible that Zelaya is himself behind this. His every plan includes a desperate attempt to retain control of Nicaragua open ly or under cover. He has craftily prepared for escape, according to private dispatches received here to-day, and is ready to attempt to put in as President one of his lieutenants.

Big Deposit in New York.

It was also learned to-day that Zelaya has on deposit in New York, $500,000, and is like amount in Paris, for use if he flees the country. Should he be able to loot the treasury, it would net him as high as $20,000,000.

The United States to-day is prepared to carry out with a strong hand the program already decided on. A possible step that to-day was reported under consideration is the calling of a conference between the United States and the principal powers of Europe for the consideration of steps to safeguard peace in Central America. It is believed, however, that Washington much prefers to handle the situation alone.

As far as the United States is concerned, Nicaragua to-day is without a government. In reality the nation is divided by three rules. Zelaya still holds the capital, Managua, and the contiguous territory. The provisional government under Estrada is supreme at Bluefields and through a large part of the land. Minister-General Irias is virtually in command of the departments of Leon and Chinandega.

Zelaya is reported to have picked as his successor Jose Madriz, formerly minister to the United States and president of the Central American Court of Justice.

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PARIS—Dow Covington, now in Paris, who says he is an American, declares that it is his intention to fit out an expedition to find a "Lost Oasis or city of copper," which he places somewhere in Eastern Africa. He desires also to visit the island of Ayesha, hitherto inaccessible to moderns, somewhere according to ancient legends, there is a wonderful temple in which is hidden the sword of Mahomet. Since around this island in Sennaalland there is a great salt marsh in which many human beings have been swallowed up, the would-be explorer announces that he expects to reach the place in an aeroplane or airship during the aviation week at Heliopomis in February.

American Bride a Peeress.

LONDON—The honeymoon of the Hon. Mrs. Charles Beresford Greville, who was the widow of Henry S. Kerr of New York, and a daughter of John W. Grace, has been interrupted by the death of Lord Greville, her husband's father. The wedding of Captain Greville and Mrs. Kerr occurred in St. Paul's Church, Knight's Bridge, on November 24, and in less than a fortnight the husband has succeeded to the title and the charming American woman, a niece of the late William R. Grace, twice Mayor of New York city, and cousin of the "Three Graces," is added to the long list of American-born peeresses of England.

Poison in German Hospital.

BERLIN—Five hundred and forty-seven patients in the asylum at Friedrichsberg, near Hamburg, are ill from the effects of poisoned rice which is supposed to have been given to them by one of the employes. Two patients have died from eating the poisoned food and sixty-eight cases are considered hopeless. Portions of the rice which were not eaten are being chemically analyzed.

Russian Cruising Submarines.

ST. PETERSBURG—Contracts are about to be placed for two submarines for the Russian navy, which, if the builders' promises are fulfilled, will meet the conditions necessary for the most successful tactical utilization of these craft, viz., the ability cruise and manoeuvre in company with a battleship fleet. The builders' specifications call for the boats of 615 tons, an over-all length of 160 feet 9 inches and guaranteed speeds of 17¼ knots on the surface and 11½ knots completely submerged.

French Naval Target Sinks.

PARIS—The French battle ship Iena, upon which an explosion occurred in 1907, sank while being towed into port. At the time of the explosion, in her magazine, some eighty of the Iena's crew were killed, while hundreds of others were injured. Recently the vessel had been used as a target for gunnery practice by vessels of the fleet.

Princess Waldemar Dying.

COPENHAGEN — Princess Waldemar, wife of the youngest son of the late King Christian, is dying. She has recently been suffering from influenza, but her illness took a serious turn Wednesday night, when she lapsed into unconsciousness. She has remained in that state ever since.

King Manuel Returns Home.

PARIS—After calling on the Duke of Montpensier and the Duke of Penthievre, to whom he is related, King Manuel left here on a special train for Lisbon. Premier Briand and Foreign Minister Pichon were at the station to bid him farewell.

CLOSE SIX POSTOFFICES.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 3.—Six fourth-class postoffices in Arkansas have been discontinued because no one is willing to accept the postmasterships. F. W. Tuttle, chairman of the Republican State Committee, said that the people of the rural districts are so poor that it is impossible to get any persons willing to accept offices which offer such small remuneration.

JAPAN, GERMANY MAY BACK ZELAYA IN DEFIANT ACTS

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Diplomats naturally chary of speaking their minds on international subjects are interested to-day in a rumor that either Japan or Germany, or both of these nations will back President Zelaya of Nicaragua in defying the United States.

"One of the bases for this report it was stated is information that either Germany or Japan have been negotiating with President Zelaya for canal rights to the old route at one time considered by the United States.

Diplomats say the only obstacle to the proposition of Germany and Japan are existing treaties among the three nations. This obstacle, however, could be nullified by permitting Nicaragua to neutralize by the canal with capital furnished by foreign interests.

The SUNDAY AMERICAN is the Seventh Day Wonder of New England.

STOLE WHOLE BRIDGE FOR FIREWOOD

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 3.—The county commissioners went out to Lick Creek to inspect a steel and wooden bridge over the stream, and were surprised to find that the bridge had been torn down and hauled away.

The commissioners found all the timbers in the bridge at the farm of Road Superintendent Holt, who said he had purchased them there while he was absent in Texas. When asked where the steel girders were, he supposed they had been washed away.

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Accept only Pape's Diuretic—fifty-cent treatment—from any drug store—anywhere in the world.

MARRY ME, LAURA

Just like the story of the original ring, my wife was then, who made Australian gold wedding rings in their own factory from $6 to $12. Any special ring to order in 3 hours. Next to big tea kettle, 25 Court St., their only store.

WILSON BROS.

out-of-town customers send for 1910 catalogue. Express or mail your watch and jewelry repairs.

You can get a "perfect fit" in our first quality brands for $11; self clearers for $2 and $3. The real WILSON BROS., next to big kettle, 25 Court. This ad will save you on a cyclopedia.

ALARM CLOCK 50c

TUGS SEEK LOST SHIP

PORTLAND, Dec. 3.—Tugs were sent out to search for the three-masted schooner Georgetta Lawrence. It is feared she has been lost with all hands. She was last heard of Nov. 22, when she was reported from Portsmouth. She was bound from New York to Bucksport with coal.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. often the road to fortune.

FAMILIES FLEE FIRE IN BLOCK

Fire that badly damaged the interior of the household furnishing store of A. Levine at No. 217 Main street, Charlestown, drove several families living over head into the streets. All escaped without injury. After an hour's hard battle the firemen confined the fire to the store and the tenants above returned to their homes. The damage is estimated at $800.

FIVE-DAY GALE IS LETTING UP

The furious gales which have been hammering the coast from Cape Hatteras to Newfoundland for five days, abated to-day and shipping, which has been tied up in all of the Eastern coast ports, began to move before noon.

At Highland Light the wind, which has been raging fiercely from 40 to 75 miles an hour for five days, dropped to-day to a mild breeze, blowing 18 miles. Storm-bound fleets of sailing craft and steamships, which have been held up at all of the New England ports, began movements. The Danish steamship Louisiana, which poked her nose off of the lower harbor yesterday and was forced to return for safety, started on its trans-Atlantic trip to Copenhagen to-day. Soon after the Danish liner passed out by Highland Light, she was followed by the steamship North Star, running from Portland to New York, which ran into Provincetown for haven yesterday.

COCAINE SELLER LODGED IN JAIL

William J. Smith of No. 100 West Springfield street appeared before Judge Murray for the second time in two days. He was found guilty and sentenced to eight months in the House of Correction on a charge of delivering cocaine. He appealed and was sent to the Charles Street Jail in default of $800 bail.

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

INSTANTLY RELIEVES COLD IN HEAD AND CATARRH

25c at all Druggists, or sent prepaid by C. H. Keith, Mfr., Cleveland, Ohio

Niagara Mist

Sale of $25 Supremely Fine HILTON Hand-Tailored Ready for Service Suits and Overcoats at $15

NIAGARA MIST (You at 50 cent Station pay $15.00 last up.

"Are these garments *'sure enough'* $25 values?" you may ask. Most emphatically *YES.*

Tell you what we'll do: If you can buy a better $25 Suit or Overcoat elsewhere in the city than these at *$15,* we will return your money instanter and ask no questions.

The *Blackington Mills,* of North Adams, Mass., was one of the many sufferers of the extremely mild weather during October and November. Winter goods lacked the impetus given by the keen North winds, and woolens could not be moved because there was no *demand* for them.

The Blackington people had a surplus of $30,000 worth of fine heavy weight goods on hand and couldn't sell them. We finally relieved them of the burden and secured the stock at a tremendous reduction.

We rushed them to our Newark workshops and had them made up into Suits and Overcoats. These garments are now ready.

This is one of the best sales in the career of the Hilton Co.

See the big window display of these garments. N. B.—ALL ALTERATIONS MADE FREE OF CHARGE, OF COURSE.

Regular Price Range, $12.50 to $40.

The HILTON Co.

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will be paid for the recovery of two large Diamonds and Settings which were stolen from our safe when it was blown open some months ago. George J. Hayward, 354 Washington Street, Boston.

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

GIRL STRIKE VICTIM CHARGES MILL AGENT DECEIVED WORKERS

Continued from First Page.

Manufacturing Associates and their striking employes.

It is felt that, no matter what the actual merits of the disagreement may be, it is high time that the miserable scenes in Ludlow streets—the reckless, the sufferings of women and children and the spectacle of employes sleeping out in the freezing air—be ended.

Hopes for Settlement.

Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham, who was in Ludlow and Springfield yesterday investigating the strike and evictions at the personal request of Governor Draper, issued the following statement from his offices in the State House today:

The State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, acting under the powers given to it by chapter 514 of the Acts of 1909 and on its own initiative, left for Springfield this morning on the 10 o'clock train to deal with the situation at Ludlow. I hope that, with the sincere co-operation of the company and the employes, which I am sure the board will receive, an amicable adjustment of the whole matter may be reached.

LOUIS A. FROTHINGHAM,
Acting Governor.

Dec. 3, 1909.

Though he will not talk for publication, it is known that Attorney-General Jesse Mason is interested in the Ludlow difficulties. He has taken no direct steps so far in the matter. But he is watching developments closely.

Meanwhile the corporation officials are making no move, so far as yet known, to accept arbitration measures.

Agent Sidney Stevens at Ludlow today said that the terms on which the strikers offered to go back to work, pending arbitration, were entirely unreasonable. He added that the corporation had seen no reason to alter its opinions expressed in its general statement of two days ago.

It was inferred that Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham would see Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Bullard of the Ludlow corporation at the Boston offices of the corporation today. Up to noon time there had been no conference reported between the two.

A reporter saw Mr. Hubbard today and the following dialogue ensued:

Q.—Have you conferred with Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham yet? A.—I won't answer you.

Q.—You won't? A.—No—but I haven't seen him yet.

Mum on Evictions.

Q.—Are you going to have any more employes evicted? A.—I won't tell you. I am not talking to the papers. When anything is done officially, let the papers print it. If they can find out.

Q.—Are you going to confer with Mr. Frothingham today? A.—I won't say anything to you. I won't answer you.

Who anything is done officially, either by Mr. Frothingham or the company, it will be time enough to talk.

MORE EVICTIONS OF STRIKERS ARE ON THE SCHEDULE

LUDLOW, Dec. 3.—Halted in their work of ejecting three striking tenants by the presence of Acting Governor Frothingham, before whom they sought to make a good impression, the Ludlow Manufacturing Associates have decided to make up for lost time and have served notice on twenty more families that they must move into the streets tomorrow.

Suffering quietly in their misfortunes, over one hundred of them living in huts that have erected out of their furniture and bed clothes, the 250 evicted strikers are today rejoicing over the first victory they have won. They have received an interesting the United States Bureau of Immigration in Ellis Island, and an agent is already here getting evidence.

An appeal for help to the American Federation of Labor will probably be made today.

It charged that the Ludlow company brought them here under false pretenses, that they were promised $7 a week to start, and got only $4, and the other serious charge is made about who purported to represent the company paid their passage, was made by fifteen persons on the first day of the investigation.

Victoria Slowik's Story.

Chief among the witnesses who swore to the charges against the company in the presence of Special Agent William J. Burke of Boston, was Victoria Slowik, who came to this country seven years ago, on the advice of the Rev. Mathew Nowak, the "Good Angel" of the suffering and the assistant rector of the Polish Roman Catholic Church of Chicopee, who told her story to an AMERICAN reporter as she told it to the special agent.

"The agent came to my town in Galicia (Polish Austria) and told us of the wonderful opportunities that existed in Ludlow," she said. "We had never heard of the place, but we had heard of America, and he told us further that some of our friends were there and were getting rich.

"Then he showed us a little book with the name of the Catholic priest signed to it telling of what a nice place to live in Ludlow was. There were pretty pictures of swimming pools and ballrooms and gymnasiums and I liked them.

"He told us we could get only $7 a week to start and that it would cost only about $2 or $3 to live. He also offered to pay our passage if we would repay him in small amounts.

"Fifteen of came over with him. He paid our passage except, of one girl, who had money, and I have been paying him back ever since. I don't know if the company paid it, but he did.

"When we came here he took us into the mills and showed us the gentlemen who run them, and we went to work the next day. But instead of the $7 we got $4 a week. We had no money to go back to the old country, and we had no friends here, so we had to stay.

"Who was the agent," she was asked?

"Rumpelfis," was the answer. "He lives on Parker street."

The other fourteen members of the party that came over with her, nine girls and five boys, confirmed her statement at the hearing before Special Agent Burke. One of the girls declared, and it is known about town that Rumpelfis has admitted, that she still owes $20 on her ticket for passage across. Others said that they owe smaller amounts, and Rumpelfis has been known to dun the young women at the mills for his money.

Now all but one of these girls and boys have been evicted. They are living in tents in the streets or on the charity of friends. They know nothing of this country except Ludlow; they know no other trad except that taught in the mills there; they can't speak English. They simply don't know where to turn. The priests, Father Nowak and Father Kubdelinski of the local Polish church, are their only friends as advisers.

Priests' Presence Needed.

There is need for these two men today in this town, as never before since the evictions began. Sixty-two men are livin in the streets day and night, sleeping under the rude shelter formed by piling their household furniture together. Ten of these houses in all are now up in the streets, and the town officials, although usually favoring the mill men, are not bothering the occupants.

The women and children have been taken care of in the homes of those not yet evicted, in sheds, barns and henhouses. Many men who had found shelter until yesterday, gave up their places for the women and children and joined those who are sleeping in the streets.

The shelters are varied constructions, the like of which have probably never been seen in this State before. Crates and tables and lumber, rickety affairs most of them, have been used to make the walls carpets, more like rags than what generally is known as a floor covering, blankets and even sheets, have been used to make a roof. And within this, logs and kindling have been placed as chairs. In front of the "house" the stove, pipe and all, has been placed and a fire started. And there the men slept all night.

Collections are growing rapidly, the women solicitors in Springfield, Chicopee and Holyoke having turned in amounts which, added to the voluntary contributions of citizens from all over the State, have swelled the total to over $3,000. Bread, meat and other provisions are also coming in, but there are almost twenty-five hundred mouths to feed and the cold weather noses the people hungry.

It was pitiful to-day to see the healthy but ragged looking men, women and children lined up in front of the striker headquarters on Joy street waiting for the allotment of food. To each was given some bread and meat, almost as small an amount as is given for a ration in siege guns. Heads of families got a loaf of bread and some meat and coffee. There was no butter or other things usually considered essential to a man's food.

The appeal to the American Federation of Labor will be made direct to Samuel Gompers, its president. Members of the Central Labor Union of Springfield, who have been advising the strikers and helping them in every way possible, favor this action because the union in Ludlow is now fully organized. Father Nowak will assist the men in drawing up the petition and is urging them to make an appeal to all the people.

More Evictions Coming.

To-morrow's batch of evictions is not to be the last. According to Sidney Stevens agent of the company, they are to be keept up until every striker has been put out and room made for every man who works in the mills. "We are not changing our attitude in any way," he said, "and we have seen no reason for any course other than we have pursued."

James Henderson today denied that three hundred strike-breakers expected from Boston had arrived. He denied further that any strike-breakers are expected. "We are bring men every day," he said, "but we are not bringing it here. To-day about forty people applied for work and we found it for all of them. We have room for more, but we are not bringing them here."

RHEUMATISM

I want every chronic rheumatic to throw away all medicines, all liniments, all plasters and give a few drops of ALLENRITE'S RHEUMATISM REMEDY a trial. No matter what your doctor may say, no matter what your friends may say, no matter how people differ, you SEE to ignore all advertised remedies, go at once to your druggist and get a bottle of our GREAT RHEUMATISM REMEDY. If it fails to give satisfaction, I will refund your money.—Manyon.

Remember this remedy contains no salicylic acid no opium, cocaine, morphine or other harmful drugs. It is put up under the guarantee of the Pure Food and Drug Act.

For sale by all druggists. Price 25c.

STRIKE VICTIM WHO ACCUSES MILL OWNERS

Victoria Slowik.

UNIONS GIVE CASH TO AID RELIEF WORK OF LUDLOW

The BOSTON AMERICAN yesterday forwarded to the International Relief Fund. This fund was started by Cigarmakers' Union No. 97 of Boston with a gift of $100 for the suffering women and children of the evicted Ludlow strikers.

The next contribution was a check for $5 from Thomas L. Wilson, vice-president of the International Association of Machinists. The third contribution was $10 from Machinists' Union No. 264 of Boston.

Cigarmakers' Union No. 97, through Secretary Henry Abrahams, asked the BOSTON AMERICAN to open its columns to receiving and publishing Relief Fund contributions, a request to which the AMERICAN gladly acceded.

Contributions may be brought in or forwarded to the cashier of the BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 82 Summer street, Boston, Mass. All contributions will be properly expended for the relief purpose designated.

In donating the initial contribution of $100 on behalf of the Cigarmakers' Union, Secretary Henry Abrahams said:

"The women and children of the evicted Ludlow strikers, thrown into the streets to freeze or starve, are the innocent victims of circumstances. In the name of humanity, and aside from any questions of unionism or non-unionism, strike or no strike, it would be on act of murder and scorching to be proud of as Republicans, to cease to the relief of these sufferers."

Pleads For Victims.

The same trend of thought was expressed in more detail by Vice-President Thomas L. Wilson of the Machinists in the following letter:

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I was more than pleased to see that we stood a daily as the AMERICAN had taken up the cause of the Ludlow strikers. I am sure it will be productive of great results and will hasten a settlement. My sympathy goes out to those poor people in the streets of a Massachusetts town, yet I cannot help but feel that, since they were given a reduction of $6 per week that it may be a possible ultimately that they have lost no band a less number.

Certainly I cannot imagine where they can go and find a worse job than they had, nor can I imagine where in the labor market such employers can go and get workers as cheap as those that they are evicting. I feel that in the interest of a labor and labor offending for us to fight that it is the duty of every citizen to assist in the work of placing these poor people in Ludlow.

Enclosed please find $5. I wish I could do better, and I feel that our people will emulate the excellent example of the Cigarmakers' Union. Hoping and praying that the management may be shamed into treating the small recipient made upon them and that in the future by fair treatment they may avoid the repetition of such an organized outrage as is now the shame and disgrace of the great State as Massachusetts. I am,

Yours Sincerely,
THOMAS L. WILSON,
Vice-President International Association of Machinists.

Urges Prompt Relief.

Machinists' Union No. 264 of this city, which gives $10, writes:

"Send this $10 to the neediest families of Ludlow. It was donated by Machinists Union No. 264 of Boston, at its meeting last night. Every trade union in this city should give generously of its funds this cold weather to help swell the list. Massachusetts cannot afford to have it said that her honest women and children were permitted to freeze and starve in the midst of plenty.

"FRANK JENNINGS."

LUDLOW RELIEF FUND.

Boston Cigar Makers' Union No. 97	$100
Thomas L. Wilson, vice-president International Association of Machinists	5
Boston Machinists' Union No. 264	10

ONE IDEA RULES US—Ind Prof. Edgar Rice of Colsbia University will tell all about in the Sunday American.

QUESTION JANITOR ON GIRL'S DEATH

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Nicola Iovtsch, arrested in connection with the death of seven-year-old Lottie Meminger, was kidnapped and then strangled to ex, was put through the "third degree" police headquarters to-day. The police learned that the prisoner, who was janitor of No. 305 Eleventh avenue, knows nothing of the case, and about the little girl's body was found on the roof of the building which he looked after.

$60,000 PITTSBURG FIRE.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 3.—Flames destroyed the Pittsburg Sanitary Laundry Co.'s plant. The loss was $60,000.

100 DEAD IN BRITISH GALE; 14 SHIPS LOST

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The British Isles and their waters have been swept by a terrible gale, and today the debris of many wrecks dot the coast. On land great damage was done, and telegraph lines are down. It is believed that the property loss will be extremely heavy, and the loss of life can only be surmised from the first reports.

The steamer Thistlemoor went down with all hands off Appledore to-day in the terrific gale. The Thistlemoor was of 2,379 tons.

At St. Leonard's the pier and landing stage were washed away, and at many other points along the coast similar havoc was wrought. Communication with the north was of a standstill to-day because of the damage to wire service.

Special Notice.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

WHITE'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

FOR SATURDAY

WONDERFUL BARGAINS IN Boys' Clothing

Boys' Russian Blouse Suits

Cute little suits for small boys 3 to 8 years. Russian style, with belt and bloomers, and small collar instead of clumsy sailor collar. Made of good, serviceable mixtures. $2.25 Suits for

$1.39

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits

Made double breasted, and suitable for school or play. Good strong linings, seams of pants sewed extra strong, and fit as well as any $3.00 suit. Sizes 8 to 16. WORTH $1.98, at **1.39**

Boys' Knickerbockers

The best make, with seams taped and double stitched, suspender buttons and belt hooks. In corduroy, mixtures and blues. Sizes 5 to 16. Worth $1.00, at..... **59c**

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits

Double Breasted Coats, with good, durable linings, and made to fit perfectly. Knickerbockers full and seams taped, good material, in serviceable mixtures. Sizes 8 to 15 years. Worth $2.98, at **1.79**

Boys' Madras Blouses

Fine material, in plain blue, blue and white stripes, also blue, black and brown stripes and figures. Made with neck band, soft collar and attached cuffs. Sizes 8 to 14. Regular 50c Blouses for **29c**

Men's All-Silk Neckties—Four-in-hand and Batties. All the newest shapes and colorings. Values 25c. For **15c**

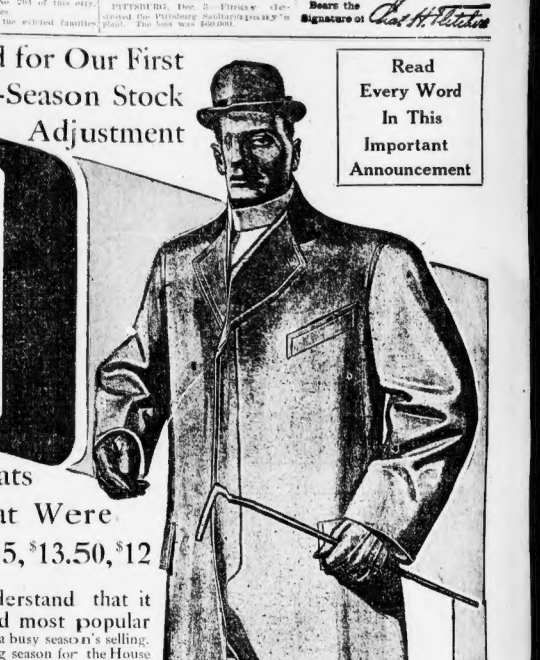
Men's Underwear — A manufacturer's surplus stock of men's gray, fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers. All sizes. Regular 50c garments for..... **29c**

Men's Wool Coat Sweaters—150 Sweaters in the best shades trimmed with contrasting colors. Value $2.50, at..... **1.69**

Another fresh consignment of Chocolates, Bon Bons and Fine Assorted Candies, Satuday at..... **19c**

Prices Reduced for Our First Mid-Season Stock Adjustment

$10 Will Buy Suits and Overcoats In This Sale That Were Formerly $16.50, $15, $13.50, $12



Read Every Word In This Important Announcement

You will easily understand that it is the "Best Sellers" and most popular styles that first show the inroads of a busy season's selling.

This has been a record-breaking season for the House of Vorenberg, and, in consequence, we have on hand a larger accumulation of broken lines of Suits and Overcoats than ever.

To effect a quick and decisive clearance of this desirable merchandise we have cut the prices on all of it to *$10 straight.* These garments sold regularly at $16.50, $15, $13.50 and $12. Two hundred and five Sack Suits and one hundred and fifty-nine Overcoats in this lot as follows:

76 Utility (Button to the Neck) Overcoats	All to Go At
62 Box Overcoats (Exactly Like Cut)	
21 Great Coats	
178 Single-Breasted Sack Suits	
27 Double-Breasted Sack Suits	

(Sale Begins Today—Extra Salesmen, Quick Service Assured.)

$10

Open Saturday Till 11 P. M.

10.00 Young Men's Suits

We have 200 smartly styled and splendidly-tailored Young Men's Suits to sell at 7.45, that should be 10.00. But we got them under price, hence this bargain. Guaranteed all-wool Cheviots, in tan, brown, olive and gray. A fine bargain at..... **7.45**

7.50 Boys' Knicker Suits

These Suits are regular 7.50 values and can't be bought for less anywhere. Made of light and dark tan corduroy; excellently tailored; you ought to buy several at this price..... **4.45**

6.00 Boys' Overcoats

If your boy is between 10 and 17 years, you need overcoat him here today and to-morrow for a saving of 100 of these 6.00 beauties to go at 3.95. Made of heavy kersey, and trimmed with fancy cuffs and back, velvet collar..... **3.95**

1.25 Boys' Odd Pants

100s to pick from. All 1.25 Pants; English corduroy; mouse gray color..... **79c**

35c Men's Hose

Fine Soft Hose of splendid quality; guaranteed fast black; regular 25c pair; three pairs for 50c, or, each..... **18c**

1.50 Men's Pajamas

The well-known "Wachusett" brand, made of high-grade flannel in neat patterns; 1.50 quality; very special, at..... **95c**

1.50 Men's Union Suits

These are the widely advertised 1.50 Peerless Union Suits; first quality; pure wool; real bargain at..... **95c**

69c Jaeger Underwear

Here is Jaeger's famous Health Fleece Underwear that's always 89c everywhere; here this week, special, at only..... **45c**

(Only two pairs to a customer.)

1.00 Men's Shirts

Chance to buy regular 1.00 Negligee Shirts for 69c; don't miss it; coat style; cuffs attached; handsome patterns..... **69c**

35c Men's Neckwear

Within a few pennies of half price; the genuine Sushana Silk; never sells below 25c; 36 shades to choose from; special..... **19c**

Guaranteed Gloves
1.25 Quality
95c
Made of imported English cape stock, in all shades of tan. Stout and regular sizes only.

"Occupies a Whole Block"
VORENBERG'S
Washington, Hanover and Elm Streets

Men's Sweaters
2.50 Quality
1.69
In fine wool stock, in oxford plain or striped with navy or crimson.

STORROW TO-NIGHT INVADES THE DOMAIN OF MARTIN LOMASNEY

James J. Storrow to-night invades Ward 8, the home district of Martin M. Lomasney. Fleischman Hall, Green street, will serve as a headquarters for the Storrow campaign in Ward 8.

Before visiting Ward 8, Candidate Storrow will go to Ward 9 to visit the Storrow Club headquarters at Washington and Laconia street. After the Ward 8 visit he will return to Ward 9 to meet the members of Jim Donovan's Quincy Club.

Storrow lieutenants were busy to-day trying to line up chairmen of the Democratic and Republican ward committees.

The new Fitzgerald and anti-slate headquarters in the Niles block were running at full an eleventh-hour candidate.

News Notes of Partyless Politics

Former Health Commissioner "Bill" Hayes, who served under the Fitzgerald administration, has joined the Storrow rooters. "That's gratitude," was the only comment from the 7 School street sport on the receipt of the news.

Representative-Elect Michael Brophy of Ward 2 will have a wealth of politics present at the Jeffries Point Rowing Association dance in Lyceum Hall, East Boston, on January 3. He has invited all the candidates for mayor and all have accepted. It should be interesting if they all arrive together.

The Municipal slate of nine for the council have found that it is no cinch to get the necessary 5,000 signatures. They are now hiring paid canvassers, and Alderman Matthew Hale has taken up headquarters in room 219, Bumstead building, to direct this particular work.

There's some stirring to the Storrow headquarters in Ward 20. They are located on the second floor of Savilles Café, and the headquarters force are "camping" on its work under electric lights turned in a gasoline arbor and with a polished floor. Where dances can be held if necessary.

Mayor Hibbard has set to work at his own headquarters at No. 8 Beacon street. Assistant Secretary Bradford keeps him in touch with the situation, however, and when the campaign really starts the Mayor will spend some time daily at his political offices.

At least two Republicans were disappointed when the selection of Daniel J. McDonald of Charlestown was made on the League slate of nine to fill the vacancy caused by Walter H. Grant's retirement. There was strong pressure brought to bear upon the committee to name Councilman Edward C. B. Bagley of East Boston or Councilman Charles T. Harding of Ward 20 for the vacant place, and only the fact that their home districts were represented on the ticket kept one of them from having the place.

Ex-Alderman Michael W. Brick of Ward 8 will lead the fight for Storrow in Ward 8, the domain of Martin M. Lomasney. Particular attention will be paid by the Storrow forces to the campaign in this ward, and they expect to make inroads into Lomasney's strength with the aid of the Republican ward committee, which is with the Municipal League candidate.

"My working hours now are from 8 a. m. to midnight, and I expect to stretch them out a bit once the campaign starts in real earnest," said Mr. Storrow in commenting upon the fact the fight was fast assuming strenuous lines. "It's only a few hours more than I ordinarily am accustomed to work at that," he said.

Former Deputy Health Commissioner Edward Everett Brown is lining up robots others for ex-Mayor Fitzgerald. "John F. will get a larger vote among the rooters than he did two years ago, and that's going some," says Brown.

Charles E. Hatfield of Newton, who is slated to be chairman of the Republican State Committee next year, and Fred Mac Leod of Cambridge, who is slated to succeed himself as chairman of the Democratic State Committee, met for the first time since the State campaign on Beacon street yesterday. They mutually agreed that if the party MacLeod represented was not victorious next year, the party that Hatfield directs will.

Jack Field of the Fitzgerald camp has received a rabbit's foot that came all the way from Independence, Cal. The letter accompanying it says that it has been exercising it says that it has been exercised by six successful candidates for elective office in the Golden Gate State, and asks for its return after it has proven a good luck omen for Fitz.

James V. Donnarumma and George C. Dixon, son of the Senator, to-day formed a Ward 6 Storrow Club. Nearly all of the anti-Fitzgerald leaders in the North End will have allied themselves with the club.

LIKENS FITZ TO THE DEVIL

That the people of Boston are more afraid of John F. Fitzgerald than they are of the devil was one of the declarations made last night by the Rev. George L. Cady, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church of Dorchester.

Rev. Mr. Cady was one of the chief speakers at a big temperance rally held under the auspices of the No-License League of Lynn in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, City Hall square, Lynn.

The main issue of Rev. Mr. Cady's remarks was that license is the chief corrupting influence in politics. He made this remark about Fitzgerald in the course of his address. He said:

"John F. Fitzgerald of Boston is the biggest bugaboo that ever came down the pike. The people of Boston are more afraid of him than they are of the devil. I will have a much better church if my parishioners were half as much afraid of the devil as they are of John F. Fitzgerald.

"If I could close the saloons in Boston until after election John F. Fitzgerald would be badly removed under. If I could keep the saloons in Boston closed I would wipe out the worst and corrupt events in his administration."

CARE FOR BABY'S TEETH—The Sunday American will tell you how the teeth of the child mould the features of the man or woman.

CLERGY LOSE LIQUOR FIGHT

After a seven-months delay the grocery-liquor license of Michael H. Glynn & Company, Nos. 366 and 370 Washington street, Brighton, was recently granted by the Excise Commissioners. Glynn was notified yesterday afternoon and opened his liquor store last night.

Seven months ago the Rev. W. A. Knight of the Brighton Congregational Church, the Rev. Father J. V. Tracey of St. Columbkille's Roman Catholic Church, several other ministers, business men and more than a score of women appeared before the commissioners to protest against the license being granted to the Glynn firm. While the hearing was on the church bells were rung in Brighton to remind the people that Glynn's liquor license was being opposed.

The property in which the Glynn store is located is owned by the Sparhawk estate, of which Senator Fiske's wife is one of the principal heirs.

WHY EVEN MEN SHOULD WEAR CORSETS—Science points out that nature meant us to walk on all fours, and that our upright position lets the intestines sink into the pelvic cavity, bringing on various troubles. The Sunday American tells it all.

HUNT WOMAN ACID-THROWER

BELLEFONTAINE, O., Dec. 3.—The police to-day pushed the search for a masked woman who, perking Mrs. George Mann from the door of her home, threw vitriol at her face. "Til burn your eyes out," cried the assailant, and as her victim staggered back escaped. Jealousy is the motive, according to Mrs. Mann herself, but to-day she refused to name any one she suspected. The attack on her husband received a postal card which said that he would return some day to find his wife dead. Mrs. Mann till recently was the wife of Charles Reid. The unmasked hero ran to the church bells were rung in Brighton to remind the people that Glynn's liquor license was being opposed.

The property in which the Glynn store is located is owned by the Sparhawk estate, of which Senator Fiske's wife is one of the principal heirs.

RED CROSS STAMPS AT THE THEATRES

Moving picture shows are helping to sell Red Cross Christmas stamps to aid in fighting the great white plague. Last year 350,000 of these stamps were sold in this city alone and provided the money for establishing a fresh-air camp for tuberculous patients. There are twenty big and popular moving picture theatres lending assistance now. The stamps, which cost one cent each, are on sale at all of the big theatres and at many of the little stores.

YOUTH WHO SHOT HIS PARENTS INSISTS HE DID IT IN HIS SLEEP

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Dec. 3.—"I was much excited over the arrest and tried to persuade the policeman to let the matter drop. In discussing the case I told of the boy being asleep when the shooting was done, one of the policemen investigating the case said:

"Even if he did this while asleep would not the sounds of the shots awaken him?"

"Think of the deadly aim taken by one bullet in Mr. Knowlton's jaw, a second within a few inches of the first, a third entering a pillow, and with all the noise of these shots and the shrieks of alarm from his stepmother and his father that boy maintains that still asleep he walked up the two flights of stairs again and got into bed and slept on sleeping till the neighbors came to him."

Found Him Asleep.

After the shooting some of the neighbors went to young Knowlton's sleeping room in the attic, two flights above where his father slept, and found the boy apparently asleep.

Mr. Knowlton is the proprietor of the Knowlton Business College in this city with a branch at Worcester, and of the Boston Telegraphic Institute at No. 120 Boylston street, Boston.

The accused boy distinguished himself in July last by dragging Miss Abbie Fuller and Miss Alvale Fuller from the depths of Larned's pond, near the Framingham car barns. It was to this pond that he was asleep at the time. It looks to me as though an attempt had been made to drown their daughter's life. The boy should not be allowed under arrest."

The father and stepmother of the boy utes' hard work to resuscitate them.

Caused Boy's Arrest.

The father of Knowlton's second wife is Mr. Whittier, a retired business man of Leominster. It was upon the demand of Whittier that young Knowlton was arrested.

"That boy fired the shots," said Whittier, "I do not know whether or not he was asleep at the time. It looks to me as though an attempt had been made to drown their daughter's life. The boy should not be allowed under arrest."

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THREE Y. M. C. A. FUNDS GAINING

LOWELL, Dec. 3.—The local Y. M. C. A. campaigners are out to-day to better yesterday's record, when $21,428 was secured, bringing the grand total to $108,005. The contributions included two for $5,000 each. The campaigners have five days more in which to secure the remainder of the $150,000 needed.

Announcement was made to-day by Secretary Day of the Somerville Y. M. C. A. that the sum of $3,800 remains to be collected in order that the indebtedness of $85,000 on the Y. M. C. A. property may be wiped out.

During the past ten days more than $8,000 has been raised by the committee, and Secretary Day is confident the building will be free from debt and the celebration over before the Christmas holidays.

LAWRENCE, Dec. 3.—Another big boost was given the Y. M. C. A. money campaign when $18,738 was pledged, raising the total to date to $84,780. The largest single subscription was $15,000 from the Arlington Mills Company.

The campaign has until next Wednesday night to run.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

FISH FAMINE IS UNBROKEN

Not a single pound of fish came into T wharf to-day. This week has been the worst for the trade in years, according to veteran dealers along Atlantic avenue.

The total receipts of fish in Boston this week is only 350,000 pounds. The usual amount at this time of year for one week is over 3,000,000 pounds. It is not unusual for a million pounds of fish to come into T wharf on one day.

What little fish came into Boston to-day over the railroads from Provincetown and Newport was snapped up eagerly by the retailers.

T wharf merchants look for a big break in the market next week, for to-day a fleet of over sixty fishing smacks, which have been held up in Gloucester harbor for days, started on a race for the fishing grounds. Fish prices are still way up in the air.

TEXTILE UNIONS TO MEET.

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 3.—Textile councils of New Bedford and Fall River met in this city and decided to hold a convention of all the textile unions in the State, at Boston, January 10, to discuss and agree upon a program of labor legislation for the next Legislature.

Get Ready for Christmas

CLOTHING ON CREDIT

FOR MEN and WOMEN

COME IN

Let us show you our fine assortment of clothing at the price you wish to pay.

COME IN

Try on a garment and let us demonstrate to you their value.

$10 And Upwards Dresses You Stylishly and Becomingly

Goods for the Whole Family

No Money $1 Down A Week

AT WASHBURN'S

630 WASHINGTON STREET

Open Evenings Opp. Boylston St. Elevator Service

THE OVERCOAT STORE OF NEW ENGLAND

This is Overcoat time at the Continental, and our great Overcoat Room is crowded with all the New Novelties in Fabrics and Models and at prices most pleasing. Special Bargains the next two weeks. We ask your inspection.

Novelties

Many novelties have appeared this year, including the Long Military Overcoat, the Self-Conforming and the newest arrival, the "Presto," all new models of long-cut garments, with different ideas of high-cut collars. We show a variety from the leading style makers of America.

$30, $28, $25, $20, $18, $15, $12.50, $9.75

The Varsity

an exceptionally smart, form-fitting, all-wool fabric, of fancy patterns, with velvet collars. Every good overcoat style is here for you. Ready to wear.

$15, $20, $25, $30

Innovation in Overcoat Collars

As GOOD as it is NEW. It makes TWO overcoats in one, and prepares you in a jiffy for ANY weather. Converts an ordinary collar into the military effect, protecting your throat and chest against cold or storm, fitting close up to the chin, making a snuggery that no weather can penetrate.

Turn down the PRESTO and you are ready for the sunshine of mild days—and there is the smooth-fitting, graceful collar that you like, with every earmark of style and good form.

You know that your overcoat when turned up has only stitches for its finish—that it can't protect you from dampness and cold—the PRESTO COLLAR WILL protect you, and it has a true finish—NOT stitches.

The best made Presto Overcoats in the largest variety at Boston's Greatest Clothing Store,

$15 $18 $20 $22 $25 $28 $30

Bargains at Low Prices

We offer many first-class Bargains in Overcoats from our late purchases at prices much below the usual. Novelty Fancy Stripe Kerseys, in the new olive shade, shown in town at $17. Our late purchase makes it possible to sell at

$9.75

Heavy Black Kersey Overcoats, all wool and worth $12; all sizes; regular cut, stout cut and longs, at

$9.75

A Big Variety of Fancy Overcoats, worth $15 and $18 we have bunched in this overcoat sale at

$12.75

GREAT TIMES IN OUR CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

WATCHES AND BARGAINS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Until Christmas we shall give with each sale in our Children's Department a guaranteed watch—warranted for a year. See them in children's window on Boylston St.

Boys' Reefers Sizes 9 to 17. We have eight styles in snappy patterns of the stylish long cut, double-breasted box reefers, all made in the best manner. Special values at $5

The New Military Overcoat For Boys 9 to 17—We have a large assortment of this new and popular Overcoat at $6.50, $8.00 and $10

Boys' Overcoats, all sizes—a variety unsurpassed—a stock of twelve hundred garments for your selection at $5, $6.50, $8, $10, $12

Sailor Suits 3 to 10 years. 135 Serge Suits, in blues and browns, also choice mixtures. Good value at $6.50, now $5

Russian Suits Ages 3 to 7 years. In novelties for the small boys you will always find our stock complete with stylish and artistic designs at most reasonable prices. $5, $6.50 and $8

A special in our Blue Serge Suit, ages 9 to 17, at $5

Russian Overcoats For the little chaps, ages 2 to 8 years, 400 of these garments, some double and others single breasted, some with straight military collars and others with turn-down collars. $5, $6.50, $8, $10

Extra values in Boys' Finer Suits, 8 to 17 years —300 choicest worsteds and Scotch tweed suits, $12 and $16 qualities, now priced $8

Many broken lots of School Suits, $6, $7 and $8 qualities, at $5

Boys' Bloomer Trousers, 5 to 17 years, left from our suits. Price.. 59c

OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS—TAKE ELEVATED TO BOYLSTON OR ESSEX

The Continental Clothing House 651-657 Washington St., Corner Boylston BOSTON'S GREATEST CLOTHING STORE

DEFAULTED SUMMONS IN BANK LIBEL

BROCKTON, Dec. 3. — Michael J. J. Flynn of Boston was defaulted in the superior court for non-appearance in response to a summons to receive sentence for alleged libel of the Whitley Savings Bank of Boston in 1907. His bondsmen, Martin M. Lomasney and Daniel J. Kiley of Boston also were defaulted.

When the Stomach Stops

Working Properly, Because There Is Wind In It, Use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to Set It Going Again.

A Trial Box Free.

THE DOCTORS call it flatulency, but unprofessional folks know it as "wind on the stomach," and a most distressing state of things it is. It is a serious condition of this great motor organ. Always annoying and painful in the extreme, at times often leading to bad and fatal results. The stomach, embarrassed by the gases with which it cannot take care of its food properly and indigestion follows, and this has a train too appalling to enumerate. The entire system is implicated—made an active or passive factor in this trouble and life soon becomes a questionable boon.

ALL THIS IS EXPLAINED in doctor books; how undigested food causes gases by fermentation and putrefaction, in which process some essential fluids are destroyed—burnt up—wasted by chemical action, followed by defective nutrition and the distribution through the alimentary tract of chemically wrong elements and as a consequence the stomach and entire system is starved. Plenty of food, you see, but spoilt in preparation and worse than worthless.

A DERANGED STOMACH is the epitome of evil; nothing too bad to emanate from it, but the gas it generates is probably its worst primary effect, and the only way to do away with this is to remove the cause. STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS go to the root of this trouble. They attack the gas-making foods and render them harmless. Flatulency or wind on the stomach simply cannot exist where these powerful and wonder-working little tablets are in evidence.

THEY WERE MADE for this very purpose to attack gas-making foods and convert them into proper nutriment. This is their province and office. A whole book could be written about them and then not all told that might be told with profit to sufferers from this painful disease, dyspepsia. It would mention the years of patient and expensive experiment in an effort to arrive at this result—of failure innumerable and at last success. It would make mention of the different stomach correctives that enter into this tablet and make it faithfully represent all.

STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS are not alone intended for the sick, but well folks as well; for the person who craves hearty foods and wants to eat heartily and run no risk of bad effects, they act like a charm and make eating and digestion a delight and pleasure. They keep the stomach active and energetic and able and willing to do extra work without special labor or effort. Don't forget this. Well people often neglect, but not the STUART DYSPEPSIA TABLETS have them in mind.

A FREE TRIAL PACKAGE will be sent any one who wants to know just what they are, how they look and taste, before testing treatment with them. After this go to the drug store for them; everywhere, here or at home, they are 50 cents a box, and by getting them at home you will save time and postage. Your doctor will prescribe them; they are there are 40,000 doctors using them, but when you know what is the matter of yourself, why go to the expense of a prescription? For free trial package, address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Building, Marshall, Michigan.

P. S. Better send today for samples of the tablet. You will get quite a box of them.

WITNESSES TELL OF HARMON'S ACTS DAY BEFORE THE KILLING

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against him. He said they were down on him and wanted to get him discharged. I found that he had imagined it all. He frequently complained of headaches."

Swung on Gas Fixtures.

James H. McCormack, a barber of Somerville, testified that he saw Harmon the day before the shooting in his barber shop. Harmon walked up and down the floor while he was there," said the witness. "He jumped up and grabbed the gas fixtures, and tried to swing on and kick off from the floor in a heap during the attempt. That day he complained of his head. On one occasion I saw him take a bottle out of his pocket. It had a poison label, was corked with cotton and was also marked, 'Sure cure for speed maniacs.'"

William J. Powers, a Somerville grocery clerk, corroborated the story of the previous witness about the barber shop episode. The witness then testified that he had a talk with Harmon about a girl on the same day that he saw him in the barber shop. By agreement between the counsel, the girl's name was not named. It being proved that she was not Maud Hartley. He was then asked:

Girl's Name Omitted.

Q.—Omitting the girl's name, tell us what Harmon said at that time? A.—He said to me, 'What would you do if you were in my place?' I am in trouble over a girl. Something is going to happen and it's going to happen quick."

Q.—Did you know the girl he mentioned? A.—Not personally, but I knew her by sight.

Q.—What did Harmon do after that conversation? A.—He and I went down the street together, and he said that he had bought an automobile for $140. I asked him where it was, and he said over in Cambria's cellar. I said, "You're crazy. How could you get an auto into a cellar?" He said, "Well, I've got the receipt for it if you don't believe it." Then he took a notebook out of his pocket and opened it to a page where the name of Colonel Gilnes appeared, together with a date and an amount of money. He said to me, "There's the receipt. I'm not ashamed to show it to anybody."

Said He Had Come to Milk.

"I asked him where he was going and he said, 'Well, I've got a cow over in a cellar and I've got to go over and milk her.' He then left me and as I thought there was something queer about him I stood on the curbing and watched where he went. He crossed from a store across the street and came out with a box of tobacco in his hand which he kept tipping and saying, 'Good old cow, good old cow.' I then said to him, 'Did you milk the cow?' He said, 'No, the old son of a gun is asleep in the cellar.'"

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DAUGHTER OF RICH BREWER WEDS WORKER

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Miss Olga Everard, the young and beautiful daughter of the millionaire brewer, James Everard, is reported to have eloped from the family home, near Greenwich, Conn., and to have married William Williams, in Jersey City.

Mr. Williams is employed by Mr. Everard as private secretary. He was formerly in the livery stable business in Asbury Park, and went into their employ as a chauffeur, but soon quickly proved his ability that he swiftly rose to the post as private secretary, which in view of Mr. Everard's age and declining health is a post of great importance and responsibility.

The Everards are living on the line estate of H. A. Michler, near the Rockefeller's Deer Park at Greenwich. An American reporter was informed there that, while the marriage had not been announced it was the most secret and there was every likelihood that the young people

Miss Everard has just turned eighteen, and is said to be of a very retiring disposition. It was to have come into a large fortune at that age, and which he kept quiet and saying, 'Good old cow, good old cow.' I then said to him, 'Did you milk the cow?' He said, 'No, the old son of a gun is asleep in the cellar.'"

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WOMAN LOSES COSTLY GEMS ON AUTO RIDE

Mrs. William Greenough, prominent in New York and Back Bay society, is mourning the loss of a diamond and pearl encrusted bracelet valued at several thousand dollars, which is believed to have dropped from her automobile while she was being driven to the Hotel Somerset on Thanksgiving night.

Searching parties have scoured the Back Bay Fens for the gems, and pawnshops about the city have been watched by the police in the hope that some person found them and might attempt to dispose of the valuable jewels.

Mrs. Greenough formerly lived in the Back Bay, but is a resident of New York at present. On Thanksgiving she was the guest of Mrs. Charles P. Greenough, president of the Darrow, Mason Company, and prominent attorney, who resides on No. 40 Chestnut street. Greenough, before her stay arrangements were made for a dinner party at the Hotel Somerset and Professor and Mrs. Barrett Wendell, the latter an aunt of Mrs. Greenough, in company with the members of the family of her uncle, attended the affair, which was given in her honor.

Mrs. Greenough wore the bracelet when she left the Carleton street residence, but missed it just after she had arrived at the hotel.

"The AMERICAN has the evening 'home' field in Boston exclusively."—Advertisers' Magazine.

PARLIAMENT IS PROROGUED TO JANUARY 15

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Parliament was prorogued to-day until January 15. The reading of the King's speech was the signal for the opening of a terrific political war that will last up to the last moment before the general election in January. The election is really a referendum vote on the budget.

The King's speech, which had been prepared with great care by the cabinet, was read in the House of Lords. The members of the House of Commons were called to the upper chamber to hear the declaration from the throne. The proceedings were impressive as the Lord Chancellor read the document.

The King's speech, after referring to the continued friendly relations with foreign nations and the progress of self-government in the colonies, including the visit of the session, thanked the House of Commons for the liberality and the care with which it provided for heavy additions to the national expenditure due to the requirements of imperial defence and social reform.

"I regret that the provision has proved unavailing," the speech said, referring to the Lords' action.

BEAUTIFUL SONG FREE—My Rosary set to new music given away with the Sunday American.

ENGAGE 1,000 HEAVYWEIGHTS TO END STRIKE

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—With 1,000 strike-breakers moving into the Northwest, the general managers' committee acting for the railroads in the strike of members of the Switchmen's Union on thirteen roads today declared the situation, from their point of view, was improving. Officers of the switchmen, on the other hand, declared the tie-up was practically complete and getting tighter every hour.

Freight of all kinds and in immense quantities is piling up upon the railroads. All are at a loss to take care of it. The thirteen railroads of the Northwest upon which the switchmen are on strike are not moving a car of freight.

An official statement given out to express the position of the railroads said:

"The general managers have failed in their final, in which the switchmen in no detail receded from their demands, which, if conceded, would have entailed an additional expense upon the railroads for switching service of from 40 to 45 per cent. The managers' committee offered the switchmen an increase of $1 per month a day of ten hours in rates of pay of switchmen employed in the territory west of Huron, Mont., on the Great Northern Railroad and west of Billings, Mont., on the Northern Pacific. Further concessions were declined for the reason that the rates of pay to switchmen were increased over 13 per cent. in November, 1907."

NEW PLAN BY ROAD FILED

The storm of protest raised in Malden and Everett over the plans first submitted for extension of its elevated structure to those cities has resulted in the Boston Elevated submitting new ones. The rail road board gave a hearing and declined to approve of the first plans. It also made suggestions which the road has followed in the new plans.

They provide for a junction with the present elevated structure opposite the Charlestown playground. In Everett the structure will be built partly in Broadway and partly on private lands to a point on the Malden-Everett line near Wyllis avenue. The terminal will be in the block bounded by Charles, Middlesex, Central and Main streets. The board will give a hearing soon.

The Railroad Commission to-day approved of the plans submitted by the road for a route through the proposed Beacon Hill tunnel, and thence to Cambridge over the bridges. The tracks will run from the northern end of the tunnel near the northeast corner of Phillips and Grove streets, and then go upon an elevated structure which will extend to Grove place and Grove terrace, cross Lindall place, West Cedar street and Cambridge and Charles streets. It will cross many parcels of private land.

WHARTON IS "POOH-BAH"

"Pooh Bah" of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Mikado" has been put in the shade. Former Councilman Joseph W. Wharton of No. 1 Ferdinand street has shown himself able to fill more offices than any Pooh Bah would dare to aspire to.

Following is a letter received at the BOSTON AMERICAN office to-day:

"Draper Club of Ward Ten, 329 Columbus avenue.

"Telephone 964 3 Tremont.

"Joseph W. Wharton, Treasurer, Room 322, South Station.

"Make all Checks and Money Orders Payable to Treasurer."

(Bear in mind that Mr. Wharton is treasurer.)

"At a regular meeting of the Draper Club of Ward 10, ex-Councilman Joseph W. Wharton in the chair, it was unanimously voted to support Mayor Hibbard in his campaign for re-election. The above club is composed of the active workers in the Hines organization. An executive committee was appointed to take charge of papers and registering of new voters.

(Signed) "JOSEPH W. WHARTON, "Secretary."

When a man can be treasurer, presiding officer and secretary of a club—well, where does Pooh-Bah fit?

PARR TELLS OF BRIBE ATTEMPT

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Richard A. Parr, deputy collector of the port, who as special agent for the Treasury Department, unearthed the gigantic fraud imposed upon the country by the Sugar trust in duty importation of raw sugar by means of "fixed" scales, took the stand at the trial of the six Sugar trust employes on trial in the United States Circuit Court to-day. He directly accused one of the six defendants—Oliver Spitzer—of attempting to bribe him while Spitzer was superintendent of the Sugar trust dock in Williamsburg.

These bribes, Parr testified, was offered him after he had discovered the manner in which the Sugar trust employes cheated the government out of customs duty on sugar by inserting a small steel wire into the mechanism of the government scales, which greatly reduced the true weight of the sugar.

WALSH LOSES JAIL FIGHT

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—John R. Walsh, convicted of wreck, the Chicago National bank and the other institutions that he headed, was denied a rehearing of his case by the United States District Court of Appeals to-day, and was ordered into the custody of the United States marshal.

The court denied the earnest plea of Attorney John S. Miller for the defense. Walsh's bail be continued while application is made to the Supreme Court of the United States for a writ of certiorari, but stated that if Walsh made application he might be kept in the custody of the marshal in Chicago, instead of being sent to the Leavenworth penitentiary to begin serving sentence at once.

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Let Every Woman Take Care of Her Health

and Her Reward Will Be Great

It is your right—and every woman's—to look well and to feel well.

It is your duty—and every woman's—to get rid of the headaches and backaches, which may afflict you through no fault of your own; to get rid, also, of disfiguring, sallow skin, pimples, muddy complexion, dark circles under the eyes, grumpiness, extreme lassitude and nervousness. For your own sake,—for the sake of those about you—get rid of these things if you have them—seek the help you need.

Beecham's Pills are well suited to the needs of women. They are vegetable, always effective, and beneficial. They remove the cause of bad looks and most bad feelings. They give bright eyes, brilliant complexions, cheerfulness and good humor. They do this because by their tonic and stimulating effects they just naturally make health and strength. They enable women to endure unavoidable physical conditions with little or no suffering.

To care for your health and to gain strength for your work and for your pleasures you should occasionally take

Beecham's Pills

Ask for them, with full directions, at any druggist's. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Every woman who values good health should read special instructions with every box of pills.

America's Greatest Sale of Furs—Our Annual Fur Sale

Music Daily, 12 to 2 In Restaurant 5th Floor

HENRY SIEGEL CO.

Washington and Essex Sts., Boston, Mass. Only Strictly Fireproof Store

5c Per Copy

For a big 382-page, illustrated, bound, year book, containing a wealth of valuable information and statistics on the city of Boston, its debt, laws and expense accounts; also a directory of leading officials of Chicago, Government Buildings, Post Office Buildings, Federal Buildings, Custom Houses, and hundreds of facts not generally known. Main Floor.

By Mail, 13c

Santa Claus' Trip From North Pole to Siegel's Wonderland

One of the greatest features for the amusement of children ever shown in Boston. Santa Claus' Headquarters are here. In Wonderland you will see every kind of a toy and game you ever heard of—all mechanical and steam toys are in operation. Bring the children Saturday before the great Christmas rush. Don't worry about what to give them—Let them tell you.

Third Floor Mail Orders Filled

CLOTH DOLLS

The most popular cloth doll out. Can be dressed and undressed. Indestructible, with a beautiful embossed face. Dressed in pink and blues, with bonnet to match. Price **50c**

TROMBONES

$1.00 Value **50c**

Trombones— Something to make a noise and at the same time give the children an ear for music. It is very easily played and has a fine tone; good brass finish; extra long. Regular value $1.00, for **50c**

CHILD'S ROCKER 25c

Every child prizes a Rocker of his or her own. This one (illustrated) is large enough for a good size child, painted red, highly varnished **25c**

PIANOS

There is nothing more pleasing to a little girl than a piano — at the same time it trains the child in musical lines. This one is 14 inches long has a rosewood finish and a book of instruction. Price..... **$1.00**

Third Floor, Mail Orders Filled.

DESKS

The best yet! Don't fail to examine this exceptionally good desk. Made of hard wood with natural finish, highly varnished. Lid top can be folded and backed away at a moment's notice. Price **$1.00**

COLLAPSIBLE GO-CARTS

Entire steel frame, upholstered in fine leatherette, with strong wheels and axles. Good for any size doll. **$1**

$4.95 for Boys' $7.50 and $8.50

Illustration Shows Suit and Reefer

Mail Orders Filled

Military Overcoats, 9 to 16 years.....
Reefers, 4 to 16 years.....
Russian Overcoats, 3 to 10 years.....
Double Breasted Suits, 8 to 16 years...
Russian and Sailor Suits, 2½ to 10 years.

Third Floor. **$4.95**

Our clothing buyer is a man of 25 years' experience in catering to the Boston trade and has given us his word that not a suit, coat or reefer in this lot is less than $7.50 value, while a great many are $8.50 values.

Only the finest $7.50 and $8.50 quality, style and tailoring will be found in this collection at $4.95. There are:

SCOTCHES	*BLACKS*	*STRIPES*	*REEFERS,*
WORSTEDS	*BLUES*	*CHECKS*	*SERGE*
SERGES	*GRAYS*	*and*	*or*
CHEVIOTS	*BROWNS*	*PLAIN*	*FLANNEL*
KERSEYS	*TANS*	*COLORS*	*LINED*

$6.00 Overcoats, Reefers and Suits

Reefers, 6 to 16 yrs., double breasted style, Friezes and Scotches; Russian overcoats, 3 to 10 yrs., fancy Scotches and meltons; suits, some with 2 pairs of pants, 9 to 16 yrs., in fancy Scotches and worsteds; also sailor and Russian styles, 3 to 10 yrs **3.95**

Boys' $4.00 Reefers and Suits

Frieze, blacks and oxfords; suits, fancy Scotches and worsteds, 3 to 16 years, double-breasted and sailor and Russian styles. These are the very finest $4.00 suits and reefers made. Sale price..... **2.95**

Corduroi Boys' 75c Pants

Here is a bargain that every mother should take advantage of. These pants are very warm and you cannot beat their wearing qualities. They are all sized and cut in Knickerbocker style. Ages 7 to 16 years **44c**

Columbia Graphophones

65c—Double Disc Records—**65c**
Two Records at a Single Price

35c—Cylinder Records—**35c**
Indestructible—Last Forever

Zonophone 10-in. Records **19c**

Third Floor

Mail Orders

We sell our goods on very reasonable terms—a little down and a little a week—gives everyone an opportunity to own a machine and at the same time buy all up-to-date records.

Only a Very Few Are Left

Third Floor, Mail Orders Filled

$40 Swiss Army Rifle

These guns were used in the Swiss Army until two years ago, being recalled at this time because they fired lead balls, instead of steel, such as nearly all armies now use. They are perfect in every way. They cost $40 to make, but the Swiss Government had no use for them—hence this great sacrifice. Fine for big game or for house protection. Kills at 2000 yards—shoots 13 times..... **$2.95**

Cartridges for Rifle, 10 in Box, for 25c

Everything in Sporting Goods

Boxing Gloves

$3.45 for $5.00 Boxing Gloves Corbett style, made of Napatan kid, hair padding, made to sell. Others at, sel. **$2.45, $2** and **$2.50.**

Third Floor

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The eviction at Ludlow and the awful suffering that has followed.

A very eminent writer for the SUNDAY AMERICAN will tell a remarkable story about the situation at Ludlow; the heartbreaking scenes caused by the evictions; the fight that a great corporation is making over the defenseless bodies of women, children and babes. It is a story to stir the red blood in your veins, but it is truthful and correct.

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Great Bible Scenes Depicted!

Historic sites just as they look to-day. New discoveries that identify the site of Capernaum, the Mount of the Beatitudes, the scenes of the exodus and other sacred places of the Old and New Testaments.

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You Are a Man, and You Will Want to Know Why Science Decrees That You Should Wear a Corset.

Every woman will want to know more about the corset question. Perhaps after a while men as well as women will have to wear this sort of a garment. The SUNDAY AMERICAN tells you about it.

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You remember Josiah Allen's wife?

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"RIGOLETTO" REPEATED; NOT UP TO STANDARD OF FORMER PERFORMANCE

"RIGOLETTO"

In Italian; opera in four acts, by Verdi

Gilda..... Lydia Lipkowska
Maddalena..... Sylvia Lorent
Countess Ceprano..... Virginia Fass
Giovanna..... Mildred Rogers
Pagelo..... Jenka Soler
The Duke of Mantua..... Florencio Constantino
Rigoletto..... Goeffie Dadson
Sparafucile..... Gustave Huberdeau
Count Monterone..... Giulio Rossi
Marullo..... Alfredo Valenti
Count Ceprano..... Giuseppe Pinto
Borsa..... Ernesto Giusso
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Musical Director..... Arnaldo Conti
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The Story of To-night's Opera

"FAUST."

Faust..... Paul Bourgillon
Mephistopheles..... Giulio Rossi
Valentine..... Hayward Boulogne
Wagner..... Alfred Pujol
Marguerite..... Jane Noria
Siebel..... Bettina Freeman
Martha..... Mildred Rogers

By ARTHUR de GUICHARD.

"Rigoletto," by Giuseppe Verdi, was performed last night for the second time at the Boston Opera House for the first appearance in this city of Mme. Lydia Lipkowska as Gilda.

"La Traviata" and "Rigoletto" having been given, there remains only "Il Trovatore" to be produced, that the immortal trio of works that marked Verdi's middle period of operatic development, may be completed.

The cast for last night's performance was identically the same as that of last week, save for the appearance of Mme. Lipkowska as Gilda.

Last week I could scarcely find sufficient words to express my admiration of the ill-found highly meritorious performance. There were a few lapses here and there which only served to make the general excellence all the more striking.

Many Apparent Flaws.

Last night the ratios were reversed, for much was bad, and general excellence was seen not. A notable exception must be made for the Sparafucile of Giusto Nicolo, which received the same capable interpretation and the same admirable vocal rendering as before.

Mr. Perini was also efficient as Count Monterone. Mr. Baklanoff sang with the same excellent voice and expression by which he has accustomed us. The make-up was better, the voice a bass and he imped consistently in each act, but taken as a whole his performance was not as good as on the previous occasion.

Mme. Lipkowska as Gilda would not wish to be judged by her work of last night. She made the mistake of singing too lightly and on successive evenings with the result that her performance, save and except when she was obviously uncertain, rose as at variance with the pitch throughout the opera and her words were frequently omitting.

I was told that Mme. Lipkowska sang the part without any rehearsal. That can be no excuse but not a reason, because such reason ought not to exist if only out of consideration for the audience.

Miss Laverel played the part of Maddalena better than before, but found the same difficulty with the "trill" as in the quartet.

I have seldom heard this quartet sung worse, yet strangely enough it was encored much better it was sung. Why it was so encored, merited that honor.

So as no excuse can be found, part of the quartet was sung as a trio; for Mr. Baklanoff absented completely from performing his part.

Much more might be said, but out of kindness I prefer to ring down the curtain.

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Made from beautiful broadcloths and worsteds, handsomely trimmed with long rolling revers of silk velvet or satin duchess—coat in the newest model, lined throughout with best satin, skirt in pretty plaited effects.

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$25,000 DEATH SUIT.

DOVER, N. H., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Abide J. Burke has brought suit against the Boston & Maine Railroad for $25,000 as damages resulting from the death of her father, Michael J. Burkley.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

FIND BODIES OF SKATERS.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Dec. 3.—The bodies of Acil Gonyea and his brother, Roy, of Keene Mills were recovered from Lake Saranac. They were drowned while skating on ice four inches thick.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

GIRL VICTIM OF DARING ATTACK IN THE WEST END

ANNIE BRODERIS

GIRL FIGHTS ASSAILANT AT DOOR OF HOME

Miss Annie Broderis, a comely waitress on the night shift of a Causeway street restaurant, had a fierce battle in the darkness of Endicott court, North End, early today with a muscular youth who attacked her as she was turning into the doorway of her lodgings.

Just as the girl fainted from fright and exhaustion her assailant fled back up the court and into the arms of Patrolman "Jim" Costello, who overpowered him and arrested him on charge of attacking Miss Broderis. He said he was William Morrison of Main street, Charlestown, seventeen years old. The police say he is older. Miss Broderis was attended at the station house by a doctor, who found that she was suffering from shock, numerous bruises and from scratches on her face.

Miss Broderis is twenty-seven years old and has heretofore made her brief homeward walk from work at night without harm.

This time she left the restaurant at the usual early morning hour and walked quickly along into Endicott street toward Endicott court. As she came near the head of the court a youth, who, as she noticed, stood watching her just ahead, turned down into the court in front of her, walking slowly.

Miss Broderis passed him without glancing at him, thickening her pace a bit as she was about to step into her doorway at No. 3 when she was seized from behind. Miss Broderis fought desperately, striking, screaming and struggling with all the strength in her active body. There was a frightful struggle, the assailant trying to smother the girl's screams and crush down her resistance. The girl was battered and scratched on the face, and her strength was quickly spent in her furious resistance. With a final shrill call for help she collapsed.

In Desperate Fight.

Patrolman Costello heard her final scream cutting through the night. He came down through Endicott street on the run. Just as he arrived at the head of the court a young man shot out from the court on the run into Costello's arms. The fugitive and the officer clinched. This time the balance of strength was the other way and Costello soon had his man overpowered.

Lugging him down the court, Costello found the girl, who was struggling to her feet. Holding his prisoner with one hand and cashing the girl with the other, Costello took them to the station house. Miss Broderis said the young man was a stranger to her. After the doctor's attentions had calmed her a little, Miss Broderis was accompanied home by Costello, with request to appear against the prisoner in court.

WOMEN IN PANIC AT STOREHOUSE FIRE

ORANGE, Dec. 3.—A slight fire in the storehouse near the Rodney Hunt Company created a panic in the tenement district, occupied largely by foreign factory help.

When the firemen responded to the alarm women and children scantily clad rushed into the street, and it was some time before the police could assure them that there was no danger.

GIVES BLOOD TO SAVE BOY

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Chirley Oble, the five-year-old son of Mrs. Emma Oble, whose anaemic little body got strength by the infusion of his mother's blood into his veins, is a lot stronger, doctors at King's County hospital report. Mrs. Oble is still in the hospital, getting back strength, but she is in no danger.

Mrs. Oble was informed that her boy, who was injured by an automobile eight weeks ago, was losing the fight for life; that only the blood of some strong person would save him.

"I would give my life to save Charley's," said the mother simply. So the surgeons, as a last resort, transfused a pint of her blood into his and grafted from her leg to his emaciated skin, in minute patches, to make a strip sixteen inches long and six inches wide. It seem in the surgeons that the mother's glad sacrifice will be rewarded by the boy's recovery.

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

LAWYERS TO ORGANIZE.

Representative lawyers in this State will meet at the Hotel Somerset on December 12 to dine and organize the Massachusetts State Bar Association. Richard Olney will preside. This is the only State not having such an organization.

MUST SCRUB LYNN PUPILS

The school authorities of Lynn have begun a crusade to compel parents to wash their children before they send them to school and today invoked the aid of the Lynn Police Court to aid them. John Kinder of No. 50 Cellius terrace, Lynn, was before Judge Lummins in Police Court today technically charged with not sending his nine-year-old son John to school. The boy was recently sent home from school with orders not to come back until he has been thoroughly scrubbed. Judge Lummins today confirmed the case until December 18 for investigation.

Superintendent of Schools J. Frank Peasley, Truant Officer John H. Newhall, and the five physicians employed by the school board are making daily visits to the schools and examining the pupils. Those who need washing are sent home. Thirty-five pupils were sent home from the Tracey School in one morning this week.

INSURANCE HEAD DEAD.

Stephen Foster Woodman, general agent of the Boston office of the Travelers' Insurance Company, and one of the best known insurance men in the country, died at his home, No. 6 Greenough avenue, Jamaica Plain. The West Roxbury Cooperative Bank, of which he was president, at its annual meeting had just re-elected him.

TAFT ASKS FUND FOR RED CROSS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—For the purpose of providing an organization capable of administering properly the funds received by the American Red Cross Society for relief work, President Taft has named an endowment fund committee, with Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh and his assistant, Charles D. Norton, who is treasurer of the Red Cross, as chairman and vice-chairman, respectively.

In making the appointments President Taft has adressed a letter in part as follows to each member of the committee:

"The time has come when the American Red Cross should be placed on a permanent and efficient basis by an endowment fund the income will enable it to be prepared at all times to carry out the purpose for which it has been created. It is the authorized official organization of the United States for volunteer aid in time of war or great disaster."

DISCUSS "L" EXTENSION.

A regular meeting of the Mount Hope Citizens' Association is held tonight in the Stephen M. Weld School. How the new "L" extension to Forest Hills suits and accommodates the people is to be one of the topics for discussion. J. F. Kelly is president of the association and A. D. Adair is the secretary.

BOY BLINDED AT FOOTBALL

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Dec. 3.—Harold Yetman, a fifteen-year-old schoolboy, was stricken blind by a hard tackle during a football play.

The boy arose from the scrimmage and groped his way unsteadily across the field until his companions realized the gravity of his accident and took him home.

HORSE CRASHES INTO STREET CAR

Much excitement was caused on a City Point electric car today at Washington and Summer streets when a horse crashed into it. The car came to a sudden stop and the driver of an express wagon which was following close behind was unable to rein in his horse quickly enough. The animal's head and shoulders smashed through the glass windows of the car's rear platform. Many women passengers were badly frightened.

SEE WHAT MOSES SAW—Historic sights where great Bible episodes took place. See them in the Sunday American.

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GIRLS' COATS, made of mohairs and mixtures, smartly trimmed with velvet and braid, button high to neck, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $4.00, special at 2.98

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GIRLS' COATS of all wool cheviots, English coverts and fancy mixtures, neatly trimmed, semi-fitted or box back, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $5.00, special at 3.98

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All Embroidered Dresses $6.98

Ladies' Underwear
White Flannelette Night Gowns 47c
Lace Trimmed Corset Covers 9c
Lace Trimmed Drawers .. 23c

Dress Skirts
Panama Trimmed Skirts $1.39
Beautiful Voile Skirts $2.97
Voile and Panama Skirts $3.97

Children's Wear
Black Bear Skin Coats .. 87c
Children's Bear Skin Mats 19c
Children's Grey Sweaters 19c

Bath Robes
Blanket Bath Robes .. $1.00
Blanket Bath Robes .. $1.87
Blanket Bath Robes .. $2.87

Ladies' Waists
$3.98 Messaline Silk Waists $1.97
59c Flannelette Waists .. 29c
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The kind we handle are all right because of the makers name, which is sufficient to carry assurance of positive satisfaction in all the new shadings. 1.15

Men's $3 Coat Sweaters
Latest coat styles, in all wool qualities that we guarantee. Some plain gray, gray with bands of maroon or gray with fancy trimmings 1.98

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Are the last days you can get twice the usual number of stamps with every purchase you make all day long. If you've another bit of wearing apparel to buy or a single present on your list that remains unbought, get it today or tomorrow by all means. Don't let this opportunity slip through your fingers. Double legal stamps, with the lessened prices you pay here, is always an occasion of tremendous money-saving importance.

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With Double Legal Stamps

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Others From $7.50 to $25

Taken at this particular season, when the holiday gift buying is in full swing—it takes on an added significance, which makes it impossible for you to overlook or underestimate. Remember that each filled back is an actual money order payable in $2.50 worth of merchandise or $2.00 cash in any department in this store. The more books you fill the more presents you have for someone—the more you buy with double stamps the faster your book fills. So get busy.

Boys' $4.00 Protector Overcoats 2.97

Regular military styles, just like the men's. Made from dark striped oxfords, brown mixtures or fancy cheviots in stripe effects, 3 to 16 years.

Boys' $7.50 Protector Overcoats 4.97

Excellent wool qualities of black and blue kersey and cheviots in modes, grays and green stripes, with flannel lining—collars and cuffs of fur or astrachan. For boys of all ages from 3 to 10 years of age.

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SIX IMPORTANT POINTS YET UNSOLVED IN GLOVER CASE

By JOHN J. McMAHON.

Until the state proves beyond a reasonable doubt that Hattie Le Blanc killed Clarence F. Glover the young French housemaid must be considered as innocent of the crime of murder.

The girl, now in confinement in the East Cambridge jail, is certainly in a terrible predicament. But, although she is behind steel bars, she has not positively been proved guilty of the offence charged against her by the government.

Between now and December 8, when she will be arraigned in the Waltham District Court, there may be developments of a startling nature, developments that may change the aspect of the case. Developments that may free the accused girl.

Thus far Hattie Le Blanc has not made a detailed statement to anyone. She told the police certain things. She told her counsel certain things. She told her spiritual adviser certain things. But she did not reveal all.

To use a police phrase, the detectives have "many things on" Hattie Le Blanc. By her own confession she was with Glover in the laundry the night he was shot. By her own statement, wade during a relentless cross-examination, she heard the fatal shots. By her own story the police know that she fled from the building immediately after the shooting.

Contradicts Glover.

Let us review the case. Glover, in his dying statement to the physicians at Dr. Cousens's hospital, declared that Hattie Le Blanc had the weapon; that he wrested it from her hand after she had fired the shots, and that he threw it into the park preservation as he staggered from the laundry.

Hattie Le Blanc, on the other hand, says she did not at any time have possession of the pistol. She says that Glover had it, and she thinks her employer used it to kill himself when she, dog-terror-stricken, from the building.

There is an important contradiction between the two statements. If Glover had the revolver it would be important, as it would show a possible reason why he wanted Hattie Le Blanc to meet him at the laundry.

On the other hand, if the young housemaid originally had the weapon, it would show that she went to the laundry prepared to carry out a threat, prepared to kill if necessary.

But there is absolutely no evidence in the possession of the State detectives or the Waltham police to show who had the revolver when the girl and man entered the building.

The police very frankly admit they place no credence in the young girl's story that Glover shot himself. Why should he shoot himself? they argue. The girl's own story is that Glover attacked her, that the attack ceased of one which could only be punished as assault and battery. It is preposterous, they contend, to assume that any sane man, even after attacking a girl in such a manner as described by Hattie Le Blanc, would kill himself.

Who Arranged Meeting?

Although nearly a fortnight has passed since Glover staggered into Dr. Cousens's hospital and died the police have been unable to prove another thing. Who arranged the meeting in the laundry?

Glover told Dr. Frederick L. McDonald, just before he died, that Hattie Le Blanc had asked him to meet her.

"Hattie came to me earlier in the day," Glover said, "and told me that she wanted to see me. I arranged to meet her over there. As I said, never liberty to waived his hand in the direction of the Glover house.

Hattie Le Blanc, on the other hand, told the police that she went to the laundry because she was asked to by Glover. She did not tell them that she had originally arranged the meeting or just the exact spot where she would meet employer, after she left the Glover house at 6:30 o'clock on the night of the killing.

Where Hattie Le Blanc and Clarence F. Glover met is just as deep a mystery as the identity of the person who shot Glover.

Another thing that remains to be solved is the reason why Glover left his employ mobile on Spruce street, two streets away from the laundry, if he had been to the laundry before on Saturday nights. Why should he have left his auto on Spruce street on this night above all others?

The police say he left his auto on Spruce street so that he would not be seen entering the laundry yard in his auto.

Hattie's Hiding.

If the police are correct in their theory that someone in the Glover house knew Hattie was hiding there—what was the reason that the authorities were not notified?

Was there a fear in the hearts of those who knew of Hattie's presence in the house that if they told about the girl they, too, would have to undergo the grilling of a relentless third degree?

Mrs. Glover knew on the night that her husband was shot that Hattie Le Blanc had been summoned by him on the laundry. An ordinary woman, timid by nature, would have been exceedingly fretful about stating that night in the "Yellow house of mystery."

She says she did not see Hattie Le Blanc that night. She says she admitted no one to the house save Mr. and Mrs. George O. Freeman of Auburndale. She says she, by positive no one was in the house.

Six Points Remain.

The greater part of the burden of solving the mystery that surrounds the death of Clarence F. Glover is being borne by the State detectives, District Attorney Higgins and the newspaper men. The evidence which these three forces have unearthed tends to point more strongly to-day than ever before a third person in the tragedy.

But although excellent work has been done toward lifting the veil of mystery, there remain six important points to be solved:

Did Hattie Le Blanc plot with another to have Clarence F. Glover slain?

Was there a third person lying in wait in the laundry when they entered just before the shooting?

From whom did Hattie and Glover go to the laundry?

How did there's revolver come into the hands of the one who did the shooting?

Did anyone shield the young housemaid from the police?

Is Hattie Le Blanc innocent, and is she shielding someone else?

SEEKS HUSBAND WHO BURNED $20 BILLS

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—A wife with fire in her eye and questions to ask awaits the homecoming of Henry C. Osterman, president of Car Equipment Company of West Pullman. She read the story of her husband's illumination of Detroit with $20 bills and then began sizzling the wires with messages. What could it mean?

Why he ordered "champagne for every body," paying for same with $20 bills and didn't take the change for a $50 bill at the bar? Why he planned a $20 bill on a bell boy's counter fall? Why he gave a ragged newsboy for a bundle of papers and added $45 with the admonition to "buy mother's illness? Why he calmly lighted two $20 bills and let them burn to ashes?

CHEER UP! EGGS ARE SOON COMING DOWN

One ray of brightness and cheer is shining for breadwinner and housewife in Boston to-day. Eggs are as high now as they are going to get this season. Prices quoted and paid now for eggs are at top notch figures. No more increase. The next thing—oh joy!—will be a drop in price. In fact, whisper it, prices may go till to smash after New Year's day. There are large quantities of cold storage eggs in the hands of the dealers. They have been holding them back, thus keeping up the price of eggs. But soon will look a succession of big snow storms come, fresh eggs will be coming in in large quantities in constantly increasing numbers and the cold-storage will let the storage eggs go under. And this will bring the whole market down.

NORDICA HUSBANDS 3, AND LILLIAN 3

SCHENECTADY, Dec. 3.—Harriet Lennard Colburn, sister of Lillian Russell and prominent in society in Schenectady, in complimenting to friends of the continued notoriety given to the reported engagements and matrimonial affairs of the family, said: "Nordica has been married more times than my sister, and I do not see her name over in print." This started her friends to looking up the records, and they found the contest to stand:

Russell Husbands.	Nordica Husbands.
Harry Braham.	Frederick R. Gower.
"Teddy" Solomon.	Zoltan Doerme.
Sig. Perugini.	George W. Young.

JOSIAH ALLEN'S WIFE AGAIN—Don't fail to read her charming Christmas story in the Sunday American.

17,000 ITALIANS HAVE HOMES HERE

That Italians form a large percentage of the population of this cosmopolitan city is shown by the Italian directory of Boston, just published by the Radford-Magee Directory Co. It contains the names of more than 17,000 Italians, all of whom are more than eighteen years old.

It is the only book of its kind ever published in the United States. More than 200 different lines of business are advertised in the directory, and more than 15% of the advertisers are other than Italians. This shows how extensively the former class of citizens engage in trade here and also how much the patronage of Italians in general is sought by other merchants.

SECRETS OF TETRAZZINI'S KITCHEN—More recipes from the diva's cook book will be in the Sunday American.

HELLO GIRLS QUIT; "RATS" ARE BARRED

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 3.—All the telephone girls in this coke town are on strike. The twenty-five girls declare they will not return to work until Manager J. T. Knode is transferred to another city. Officials at Pittsburg have sent word that Knode will remain. The trouble started when Manager Knode ordered the girls not to wear "rats" in their hair. He discharged two who refused. Later the manager insisted on the girls wearing dirty dresses. The girls signed a "round robin," asking Knode to try another shade of neckti. He reduced all their wages. Then the strike.

Latest Photograph of Mrs. Lillian M. Glover

HOSPITAL FOR DURHAM.

DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 3.—Watts Hospital, built at an expense of $250,000 and endowed with $200,000 more, has been presented to the city and county of Durham as a gift from George W. Watts, the tobacco man.

CARE FOR BABY'S TEETH

—The Sunday American will tell you how the teeth of the child mould the features of the man or woman.

POLICE WATCH TWO WOMEN IN BATHTUB CASE

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Marth Eliza Wardlaw, grandmother of Mrs. Oney Snead, the Orange "bathtub" mystery victim, and Mrs. Mary Snead, the young wife's mother-in-law, were practical prisoners in their home at No. 466 We Twenty-second street to-day, with the s tectives from New Jersey guarding h house.

Additional facts that deepened t mystery were received by the police to-da They were: That on last Monday wh Mrs. Oney Snead was found drowned in bathtub in an unfurnished house in In Orange, old Mrs. Wardlaw and Mrs. Sne were away from the West Twenty-seco street house all day and did not retu until evening.

The police are trying to find out wher they went to East Orange on that d That on September 8 last Mrs. Sne Snead, accompanied by Miss Virgi Wardlaw, her aunt, who is now un arrest in New Jersey, and another wo woman, called at the home of Attorney R. Carroll, No. 105 Montague stre Brooklyn, and had him witness the s nature of Mrs. Snead to several appli tions for loans on insurance policies.

The strange part of this circumstanc that on September 6, when Mrs. Sne visited Attorney Carroll, she lay in h apparently sick bed, in the "house of h fery" in Flatbush, while Attorney Wa Hinds H. Poe drew up a will for her b question the police are asking is "If Snead was desperately ill on that dateh she have visited Attorney Carr It is one of the many confusing points the case that cannot be explained.

Mrs. Caroline Martin, mother of h Snead, who disappeared several days fore she was killed, is now being sought the police. Brother W. Snead, the wor husband, is also missing.

The police announced that Mrs. Sneads under hypnotic influence when she s her will cutting off her baby with $5000. It was declared to-day that note found pinned to her clothing when body was found which stated that she committed suicide is a forgery.

LABOR MAN WINS IN DAMAGE SUIT

The jury in the case of William Dwyer, publisher and owner of the Bo ton Searchlight, a weekly publication voted to labor interests, who brought a suit for $5,000 against John F. Sh president of the Boot and Shoe Work Union, for defamation of character, s mitted a sealed verdict to-day in favor the defendant in the Norfolk Superior Court at Dedham. Judge Sherman presiding.

HEPTASOPH OFFICERS

The officers-elect of William McKay Coxhead, Improved Order of Heptasophs, are: Archer, Theodore A. Glynn; pres dent, Hugh E. Reardon; prelate, James W. Ely; chancellor, John J. Kilbride; record and corresponding secretary, Michael J. Mailey; treasurer, William Dunbar. The annual ladies night will be held in Red Hall, Deacon Building, Washington st., Thursday night, December 16.

COX SENT TO JAIL.

DUBLIN, Dec. 3.—Patrick Cox, whose extradition occupied the United States courts for two years, was sentenced to five months imprisonment for the death of Edward Murray.

POISON TURNED TO ITCHING ECZEMA

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"I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills. I can also say the suffering was intense. It itched and burned so that it was impossible to sleep but thanks to the wonderful Cuticura Remedies I am now well. I enclose my photograph which you may publish. Harold Avery, 783 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 7 and 19, 1908."

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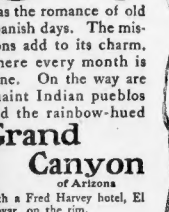

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RUSSELL AND OSCAR TO WAR

Director Russell of the Boston Opera House is to lead his singers in a war against Oscar Hammerstein and his Manhattan opera singers. The scene of the engagement will be Pittsburg. The tour of the Boston Opera Company, is to begin in January and last five weeks. Director Russell smiles when asked about the war. "The Boston Opera Company does not fear comparison," he says. "On the contrary, a week of opera by another company is likely to make the people of Pittsburg only the more eager to see the performances given by our company.

"Mr. Hammerstein is going to Pittsburg with his company, and I sincerely wish him the same luck that I expect will fall to the lot of the company I have the pleasure to direct.

"It will, perhaps, be of interest to know that in the tour the Boston Opera Company forces will combine with those of the Metropolitan Opera House.

JOSIAH ALLEN'S WIFE AGAIN—Don't fail to read her charming Christmas story in the Sunday American.

ANOTHER WEEK OF 1915 SHOW

The Boston "1915" Exposition in the old Art Museum building in Copley square is to be kept open still another week. The demand of the public that the display be prolonged caused the directors to extend the time through this week, seven days longer than was originally intended. Now the directors have agreed to extend the time by another week.

The lectures are one of the great and popular features. Because of this the management has prepared the best program of the entire exposition for next week. But one lecture a day, at 8 o'clock in the evening, is to be the rule there. Distinguished experts on their subjects are to do the lecturing. They will illustrate their subjects by the stereopticon.

Charles J. Glidden, the automobilist and aeronaut, is to talk tonight on "The Art and Science of Ballooning," and his travels to India, by auto.

No tickets are sold on Sundays. Only holders of tickets bought during the week or persons bearing special invitation cards are admitted on Sundays. All the features of the exposition, with the exception of the marionette theatre, are shown on Sundays. The Boston 1915 Women's Orchestra, under the leadership of Edna Frances Simmons, plays special concerts in the afternoon and evening.

MORGAN, BY EQUITABLE CONTROL, HEADS WORLD'S BIGGEST MONEY TRUST

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—J. Pierpont Morgan, at the age of seventy-two, has shouldered the greatest financial burden ever assumed by any financier at his age, in the purchase of the Thomas F. Ryan hold in the Equitable Life Assurance Society, and is to-day head of the most gigantic money trust in the world.

By this move he has controlled the total of capital and resources of companies under his control to $3,644,000,000, the total capital of the Equitable being $462,000,000 more than the total of the major organizations now dominated by Mr. Morgan, with their capital:

Equitable Life	$462,000,000
First National Bank	10,000,000
Guarantee Trust Co.	100,000,000
U. S. Steel Corporation	1,100,000,000
Southern Railway	111,000,000
General Electric Co.	80,000,000
Bankers' Trust Co.	10,000,000
N. Y. Life Ins. Co.	557,000,000
Nat. Bank of Commerce	15,000,000
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Equitable Trust Co.	12,000,000
Astor Trust Co.	17,000,000
Total	$3,644,000,000

He is, besides, an important factor in many other companies in which he is director or stockholder. Following the announcement of the latest deal it declared today that the first moves out come would be a move on the part of Legislature to compel the actual sale by of the Equitable.

Stock Owned by Harriman

Such a plan is known to be held by several important members of a State law making body, and the stockholders by the sale of the Ryan holdings accept the purchase by Mr. Morgan with less relative plan.

Although in the statement of from Mr. Morgan's office announcing purchase, it is merely stated that Morgan the majority of the stock of Equitable formerly owned by Thomas F. Ryan, was said in the financial district today that the stock was really secured by Mr. Morgan's holdings till years ago Harriman sought control of Equitable, but was defeated by E.

It is deemed probable that Jr., like Morgan J. O'Brien and Joseph Choate, who were appointees of the society with the latter, Cleveland for a period of five which expires next June, will step down their term of office expires, as one of the deal, though they may decline. The purchase was made with knowledge of the trustees.

Speculation as to Price.

Should this trusteeship unload the control of the Equitable on absolute in the hands of Mr. Morgan a re- would also give Morgan control of trust companies, notably Equitable Trust and the Mercantile, whose stock is now held in trusts by the Equitable Life.

There was much speculation as to the actual price paid by Morgan, the only actual basis for estimate, generally accepted, was the sale eighteen months ago by Mr. Ryan the control of Equitable to Hamilton for it, $2,500,000, plunger coal in cents. This offer, Hamilton authoritative sources, was in the society itself.

The Equitable Life, having a capital of only $100,000, $472,000,000 in assets, More than $400,000,000 insurance is in force, and total insurance receipts for 1908 $180,000,000 surplus being $80,000,000.

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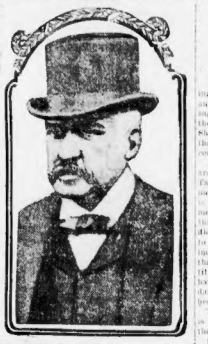

J. P. MORGAN, WHO RULES NEARLY FOUR BILLION DOLLARS

BIG CONGRESS CONTEST OVER SHERMAN ACT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—With the opening of Congress only a few days away and President Taft's blue pencilled message in the government printer's hands, the great issue to the fore to-day is the Sherman anti-trust law. It is predicted that this will become the centre of a big conflict in Congress.

Arriving Senators and Representatives are anxious to ascertain what President Taft will recommend in the way of amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law. There is more doubt about this feature of the message than any other for the reason that within the last few days contradictory statements have been circulated to the effect that President Taft will urge important changes in the law, and again that he will suggest that Congress wait until the Supreme Court of the United States has passed upon the appeal of the Standard Oil case, which is expected to be heard by the court early next January.

There is no law on the statute books that is as important to the corporations and the railroads.

Some of the leading members of the House and Senate say that there is no logic in the suggestion that Congress wait until after the Supreme Court has handed down its decision in the Standard Oil case before taking up the question of amending the Sherman act.

Larger subscribers have written to the President protesting against any changes that would exempt organized labor from the application of that section of the act relating to restraint in trade.

BOSTON MAN AGAIN JAILED AS FORGER

Frank Wilbur Fowler who was arrested in this city in 1908 on the charge of passing forged checks to the tune of $50,000, and who escaped prosecution by making a settlement with the holders of the checks, is again under arrest, after a long chase by the police of Pittsburg, on complaints alleging the swindling of Philadelphia and Pittsburg parties out of $101,000. He was captured at Cincinnati, and at once said that he would go back to Pittsburg without extradition.

A. O. H. AUXILIARY WHIST.

Tonight in Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 8 Warren street, Roxbury, a whist and dance ing party will be given under the auspices of Ladies' Auxiliary No. 25, A. O. H., for the sick and death benefit fund.

SUFFRAGISTS TO FIGURE IN CITY ELECTION

Unless present arrangements miscarry, a delegation of militant suffragists from New York will visit Boston shortly after the 12th of December and take part in the municipal election. Communication has been in progress for some days, and the New Yorkers have been urged to wake up Boston and the woman suffrage cause by coming here and showing how to make votes for women a far-reaching political cry.

The delegation, if it comes, as now seems more than probable, will be committed to no candidate or candidates, but it is planned, it is said, at the head of the school committee fight as one main issue, with the Mayoralty and City Council contests as auxiliary matters.

The suffragist leaders in New York are informed that there are three women running for the school board in Boston against one man and that at least one woman's candidacy is for the purpose of defeating the election of any woman candidate. They take the ground that if women is to can't unite on one woman for the purpose of defeating the machinations of the men it is high time for a campaign of education, directed first of all upon the women, and almost simultaneously upon the men.

New York suffragists are inclined to look with scorn on the methods of Boston suffragists, and several letters which they have received from Boston are of such a tenor as to make it almost certain that Boston will have a suffragist invasion. It is very well known here that neither the Mayor of Boston nor the City Council has the power to give the vote to women, but it is known that making "votes for women" a burning issue in the city campaign will attract attention and wake up those who go to the General Court. Influence can be directed against the Legislature later in the game.

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Boys' Sweaters	75¢ to 3.00
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MILLIONAIRE WEDS A NURSE

BRISTOL, Tenn., Dec. 3. Behind the marriage of Edwin King Ream, son of Norman B. Ream, the multi-millionaire director in the Steel Trust and many rail roads, to Mrs. Nellie Speed Armstrong, a trained nurse of Louisville, is a romance rich in romance. Though blocked at every move by his wealthy parents, young Ream married the woman of his choice.

The romance began at Norton, Va., where Mrs. Armstrong was conducting a small hospital at the Dean Morton coal mines. Young Ream was brought to Virginia by his brother-in-law, Mr. Kinsman, of New York, and met Mrs. Armstrong immediately upon his arrival. He promptly fell in love with her.

Last August they met at Louisville and were married. The marriage was kept a secret, but Mr. Ream came here this week and, claiming his bride, announced the marriage.

The couple are now on a honeymoon trip in Chicago and will return in a few days to live in this city, the bridegroom owing extensive mining interests in this section.

KILLS $5,000 DOGS TO BECOME BRIDE?

PITTSBURG, Dec. 3.—That she chloroformed all of her valuable dogs—$5,000 worth—as one of her wedding preparations, was said here of Mrs. Carrie Hays Dilworth, who was married Wednesday in New York to the Rev. Samuel Craig of Ebensburg, Pa. Among the dogs killed were some blue ribbon winners of years ago. Whether the minister-husband of the rich Pittsburg woman had also objected to dogs, as did George Grisom of Pittsburg, to whom she was once engaged, is not known, but shortly before closing her house here Mrs. Dilworth announced that she had lost a good husband once through her dogs.

WHY EVEN MEN SHOULD WEAR CORSETS—Science points out that nature meant us to walk on all fours, and that our upright position lets the intestines sink into the pelvic cavity, bringing on various troubles. The Sunday American tells it all.

STEEL CASES GO TO THE JURY TUESDAY

The steel cases will go to the jury next Tuesday. This announcement was made to-day by former District Attorney Hill, the special prosecutor. The closing argument for the remaining six defendant corporations and nine individuals was made to-day by Henry S. Hurlbut. On Monday Mr. Hill and his assistant, James Frenaye Curtis, will address the jury.

ATTEMPT BREAK IN DIAMOND STORE

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 3.—Patrolman M. R. Fell discovered that a bold attempt had been made to enter the diamond store of A. J. Bernstein, No. 395 to 399 Fore street, early to-day.

The burglars smashed a large window, sending the glass flying to the middle of the store, but were frightened off by the approach of the patrolman, who, with Sergeant Haskell, made a thorough search of the place.

EX-QUEEN'S MONEY TO GO FOR CHARITY

HONOLULU, Dec. 3.—Ex-Queen Lilinokalani of the Hawaiian Islands, it was announced to-day, has executed a deed of trust whereby a great part of her estate, which is valued at $200,000, after her death will go toward the endowment of orphan asylums of the Hawaiian and part-Hawaiian children.

GREAT BLIZZARD SWEEPS THE WEST

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 3.—Wyoming and Montana to-day are swept by a terrific blizzard. Damage is already reported heavy. It is feared the cattle losses will be immense. So heavy was the storm that at Mattnes and Sheridan, Wyo., 500 children were taken from school under escort to prevent their being lost on their way home.

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Boys' $5.00 Winter Suits, Reefers or Overcoats at $2.98

Fur Collar Coats, blue, brown or gray, 3 to 10 years. Russian Coats, blue kersey, red flannel lined, emblem on sleeve, 3 to 10 years; Auto or Velvet Collar Coats, neat mixtures, 8 to 16 years; Double-Breasted Knicker Suits, blue thibets and mixtures, 7 to 17 years; Russian or Sailor Suits, blue or brown serge or mixtures, 3 to 10 years; $5.00 garments..... **2.98**

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Blue or gray Chinchilla Coats, all wool, flannel lined, 3 to 10 years; Russian Coats, in the Auto style, 3 to 10 years; Long Reefers, navy blue, pebble cheviot or chinchilla, all wool, flannel lined, 7 to 15 years; Long Auto or regular Overcoats, 8 to 17 years..... **3.98**

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It's Not Generally Known, But Mutt Made Highest Bid for Fight—By Bud Fisher

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WHAT THE ?
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WON'T A DOLLAR AND A HALF DO FOR A WHILE?
9 TO 5 I BUST THIS POST, JEFF.

Local Sports Size Up White Champion

JEFFRIES IN POOR FIGHTING SHAPE

By THE SPORTING EDITOR.

James J. Jeffries showed himself in Boston for fifteen minutes last night and then left for Washington where he may meet our President to-day. As the newspapers will print more columns of matter about Mr. Jeffries than they will about Mr. Taft from now until July 4 it is well to describe the pugilist's appearance here in some detail.

Jeffries, having signed to fight Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world and having accepted a purse of $101,000 and two-third of the receipts from the moving pictures of said fight, is putting a few weeks a one-night stands showing himself to that portion of the public that cares to pay one two, three, or five dollars for the privilege of seeing him. Nearly 1,800 persons paid these prices last night at the Armory Athletic Association.

Not that part of the crowd that gazed on the great man with open mouths and saucer eyes, but the wise sporting men who saw him last night believe that he would not last fifteen rounds against the colored champion if they met to-morrow. But they reserve the right to change their opinion if it is found that the big fellow can train on, get his wind, take off the fat that shook his sides and breast, and overcome the leg-weariness that was so plainly evident.

Jeff is Leg-weary.

Ah, but the leg business is the rub. Jeff's undersinnings are still of the piano leg variety, but it was not their shape that caught the expert eye; it was the action that showed in his footwork. The action that told that he was leg-weary.

Leg-weary. How many fighters have it. Cases by George Gardner, Jimmy Handler, Young Loughrey, Honey Melody, Kid Carter, Young Corbett. While Fitzgerald, Gren Bot Nelson and many others. A fighter becomes leg-weary when he has taken many punches—not necessarily knockouts.

Jeffries has now been training eleven months. He has taken off fifty pounds and says he has ten more to dispose of before he will be down to his proper fighting weight. Yes, he will need all of that off. He is not as thin as he was when he returned from Carisbad a few weeks ago and casually he seems to be in fair condition. But in his fifteen-minute turn last night he didn't do enough work to make him puff and blow the way he did.

Three Short Rounds.

He skipped the rope, he did some shadow boxing, he took abdominal exercise and he sparred three rounds of 1.05 1-5, 1.07 4-5 and 1.12 flat against Jack McCormick. At the end he was blowing quite hard, but didn't work himself into a heating sweat.

The big fellow wound up an entertainment that began with three preliminary boxing bouts and had for diversity two wrestling matches in which Champion Frank Gotch figured.

Jeffries climbed through the ropes at 9.02. He was clad in blue trunks and wore an American flag around his waist. A set of tennanee sofa pillows loomed to the ring showed that some of his sparring partner's blood was to be spilled. The announcer said:

"It gives me great pleasure at this time to introduce to you the world's champion heavyweight pugilist, James J. Jeffries (Prolonged applause). Mr. Jeffries will entertain you with rope skipping, shadow boxing and abdominal exercises to show you his condition."

Jeff, who was vigorously chewing gum, lost no time in getting busy. He skipped the rope four minutes. Then he started his shadow boxing, shaking some stiff blows at his bald-headed sparring partner who ran to the ring to see that he did not overstep the limit. He shadow-boxed a minute and a half.

Jeff's Best Stunt.

Then came the abdominal exercise. Sitting on a no-back chair, with his toes under the rung of another chair held down by an attendant, the big fellow rapidly bent backward until his head touched the floor. This exercise he briskly repeated thirty times. It was his best stunt. While he reated, the announcer read off next week's card at the Armory Club, and then Jeffries was ready for his sparring exhibition with Jack McCormick.

This was a farse, as the men didn't even tap each other. The first round was carried one minute, five seconds, and someone said "Pass the plate," whatever that means. Per was a generous planter's soul, and when they sparred another round like the first the third was the same. When the was called, Jeff mostly jumped through the ropes, resisting the impulse for a speech.

It was not a particularly interesting exhibition and some of the crowd thought they didn't get their money's worth. Maybe they didn't, but they were there with ration aforethought.

No Speech by Jeff.

After the show an attempt was made to interview the big fellow, but Jeff never was much of a talker and beyond saying that he was going to Washington and that he weighed 250 pounds, there wasn't anything of importance to record.

The receipts were about $3,500 and of this sum the Jeffries troupe got 75 per cent.

The fun began with a bout between Young Papke of South Boston and Young Vaughn of Providence. It was slug, bang from the start. Young Vaughn, who was egg fit, wanted to quit in the first round, but the referee shamed him into continuing. In the second round Papke put some socklongers in the pugilistic mail stocking. "Enough," cried Vaughn. "Take off the gloves." and the verdict went to the other fellow.

The second bout introduced Sam Jacobs of South Boston and Dummy West of Pawtucket. The Dummy landed a haymaker after a minute of fighting and Jacobs took eight seconds on the mat. When he got up West settled him with a punch to the stomach.

Joe West of Roxbury and Jimmy Quinlan of Dunvore went six rounds, the Dunvore boy winning on points. There was something doing all the time, but nighty little which was delightful.

Frank Gotch, our champion wrestler, threw Jack Atwell of Kentucky in 4 minutes 12 seconds, and then the champ threw Dr. Rodier, of South Carolina. The doctor was something of a Tartar and gave a creditable go of it for fifteen minutes allowed for the bout. It was an interesting battle for a couple of roommates and it pleased the crowd.

Will Jeff beat Johnson?

Wait awhile.

HERE IT IS! JEFF SAYS HE WILL LICK JACK

By FRANK DALLAM.

Here it is under his own signature, fully attested to and straight from the shoulder. It speaks for itself.

I am going to fight who, I know I'll win.

Jas J Jeffries

John D. Hall, Witness
Marcus P. Mayer
Peter E. McNally

The big fellow was having dinner at the Hotel Brewster when he signed it. Also, he was having his own troubles at the same time he was eating dinner, for he wasn't allowed to eat in peace. Everybody in the dining room was rubbering and about every other minute the waiter butted in with some fellow's card, which by the way in every case Jeff turned down.

The interruptions seemed to irritate him. He got so patient that Jimmy Callahan (yes, it's the same Jimmy Callahan, the outlaw baseball player from Chicago, and what he was doing in Boston goodness only knows, for he wouldn't tell me) had to call him down. When I asked Jeff two questions he beat the table with his mighty fist and said, "Yes." Whereat I pinned him down and made him sign the papers.

Please observe that the document is properly witnessed. Marcus Mayer, the man who made Nino Patil famous, and also made himself famous by the funny thing but which he always wears, signed it, and so did your own Bostonian Pete McNally.

Now, gentlemen, go on and make your bets. If you don't think there's going to be a fight, here you have Jeff's own word. And as for the result of said fight, well, you all see what Jeff says.

Knowing Jeff pretty well, and believing him thoroughly sincere in everything he takes a hand in, permit me to observe that I believe there will surely be a fight and that the big Californian will win it. All based on Jeff's say-so.

Lemsway, I heartily hope it.

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ATTELL TO MEET DANNY WEBSTER

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Monte Attell and Danny Webster have been matched for the third time. To-day Eddie Webster, acting for his brother, signed up with Monte Attell for a twenty-round bout to be held in this city at either Dreamland or the Auditorium, on the night of December 19.

Eddie Nolan will arrange the fight, which will be held for the benefit of Johnny Murphy, the local man, who is sick at present in Honolulu.

STAR YANKEE TEAM GOES TO CUBA

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Seven major league baseball players left on their way to Cuba to play with an American team in a series of games with the teams around Havana. Among the players are Mordecai Brown, pitcher of the Chicago Nationals; Addie Joss, pitcher of the Cleveland Americans; James Archer, catcher of the Chicago Nationals; Sherwood Magee, outfielder of the Philadelphia Nationals; Fred Merkle, first baseman of the New York Nationals; J. Leavell, outfielder of the Washington American; and Herman Schaefer, second baseman of the Washington Americans.

GOLDEN, STAR AT AMATEUR BOUTS

Eddie Golden, a youngester from the West End, showed himself to be the classiest of the amateur boxers who participated in the series of bouts held at the Riverside Boat Club last night. He won the gold watch in the 113-pound class by defeating Jerry Doyle of Cambridge. The latter looked good until he met Golden. The West-Ender showed a pair of good hands, and two clips on the jaw sent the Cambridge lad to dreamland in the final.

PAT FLAHERTY TO ACT AS MANAGER

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 3.—Patsy Flaherty, pitcher of the Akron, Ohio, American Association team and formerly with the Boston and National League teams, said to-day he would be manager of the Fort Wayne team of the Central League next season. Claude Varnal, owner of the team, is now negotiating with the Kansas City management to purchase Pat's release.

BEAUTIFUL SONG FREE—My Rosary set to new music given away with the Sunday American.

HUESTON HAS TO PLAY.

Tom Hueston, the world's champion pool player, was forced to show his best form last night in his game with Sylvio the Kid at the White Bear rooms. For seventy balls the Kid was in the lead and the champion had to do some remarkable playing to win the game, which he did by 125 to 107. In the afternoon Hueston defeated Anolsky, 125 to 0.

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Although I am today the largest popular price tailor in the country, it seems to me that I ought to do a still greater business. I believe that I can if I can but overcome your tendency to scepticism.

With that idea in view today, I am going to try and show you that I not only claim that I have suitings and overcoatings that I can make to your measure at $7.75—but that I actually do and will make them at that price.

In my stock at the present time, there are several thousand dollars' worth of ends of heavy and medium weight woolens, accumulated from the various stocks purchased by me in the past few months. 90% of these ends contain enough material to make an overcoat or suit (3 pieces). To convince you of the absolute sincerity of my advertising, I will show 45 different styles of goods today in my open doorway, any of which you may select for suit or overcoat to order at $7.75. Just be your own salesman—select the suiting or overcoating that satisfies you—call one of my cutters—be measured, and when everything is satisfactory—pay him.

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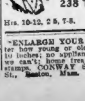

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

BATTLE OF FISTIC GIANTS SLATED FOR SAN FRANCISCO

RICKARD LANDS FIGHT; BATTLE IN SAN FRANCISCO

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The great fight triumvirate Coffroth, Gleason and Rickard nailed the biggest thing in the sport history and will stage the battle between Jeffries and Johnson on July 4, 1910, probably in San Francisco.

It was the fine engineering of Tex Rickard that won out in the bids for the fistic plum. His offer of a purse of $101,000 with a liberal allowance for the [illegible] privilege caught the fancy of both representatives of Johnson and Jeffries. It was no secret that Jack Gleeson [illegible] promoter, was associated with Rickard in the bid and while Coffroth [illegible] joint interests [illegible] closer to the others than he [illegible] say. In fact the fight is expected to take place in his [illegible].

While the exact spot where the fight will be held is still a question [illegible] logical battleground and [illegible] to what Gleason says all [illegible] regarding the law will be overcome and a fight to a finish take place [illegible] within the [illegible] of the Golden Gate city.

DETAILS OF BIG FISTIC BATTLE

Location — Probably San Francisco

Date—July 4, 1910.

Successful bidders — Tex Rickard of Nevada and John J. Gleason of San Francisco.

The accepted bid — Purse of $101,000 and two-thirds of the moving picture privileges, variously estimated at from $133,000 to $270,000.

Referee —Not yet chosen

Open Air Arena.

Gleason has a plan on foot to hold the event on the base [illegible] in San Francisco and is confident that the bout can be pulled off in [illegible], which would make the [illegible] ideal and would be favored by the fighters.

While Rickard named Nevada and Utah as the other sites where the fight might be held he has been persuaded by his other partners that the [illegible] is the proper place and would draw the most money.

So strong is Gleason's standing [illegible] an effect [illegible] the [illegible] law of allowing [illegible] to [illegible] within the [illegible] The State law [illegible] bout.

A [illegible] over $10,000 [illegible] has been pledged [illegible] if the match is held [illegible] city of San Francisco.

Regarding the selection of a referee Rickard says that if the fighters can agree on any man he is [illegible] Eastern expert being the third man in the ring.

Boxing News in Brief Form

Although Governor Hughes has told the Sheriff to prevent any prize fights [illegible] to take place in Albany [illegible] there are no prize fights there and that [illegible] exhibition will [illegible] off as scheduled.

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Manager McMahon of the Knickerbocker club, Albany, says [illegible] he is not running a prize fight [illegible] and that the [illegible] for [illegible] and McMahon [illegible] the same way.

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The report that Sailor Burke had shipped on a [illegible] for [illegible] Instead, he got out [illegible] ferry to Staten Island and so was able to get back to the Battery within the fortnight.

Biz Mackey and "Mons the Newsboy" [illegible]

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Harry Stokes and Terry McGraw [illegible] week. The exact day has not been decided on.

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Both Al Kaufman and Jack O'Brien are ready to fight Jim Barry. But they are a trifle bashful about covering the $500 he has up as a forfeit.

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The preliminaries to the Jack (Twin) Sullivan-Sailor Burke bout next Tuesday night are as follows: Eddie Sheron vs. [illegible] Furey, and Bobby Tickle of Providence vs. Big [illegible].

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Entries for the amateur boxing tourney [illegible] Boston Athletic Association on Saturday [illegible] rapidly. The open classes will give [illegible] as the [illegible] sparrers have been [illegible] in special bouts. There will be several special bouts arranged and the open classes for this tournament are 110, 125, 140 and 158 pounds. In all classes give or take two pounds will be the rule. Entries will close [illegible] 4 with George V. Brown, B. A. A.

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In conjunction with the Jeffries-Gotch exhibition [illegible] bouts have been [illegible] of Providence [illegible]

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A.A.A. HELPING AUTO SPORT SAYS SPEARE

By J. C. KERRISON.

Lewis R. Speare, who has just been elected to the presidency of the American Automobile Association, returned to Boston yesterday well pleased with the condition and prospects of the great [illegible] association [illegible]

[illegible]

BIZ MACKEY TO BOX AL DELMONT

[illegible]

WELCH TO DIVIDE WITH RACE DRIVERS

[illegible]

GOLF GOSSIP CLUB NOTES

[illegible]

STRAIGHT DOPE FOR SPORT FANS

IT WAS A BUNK SHOW [illegible]

[illegible]

BASKETBALL TEAM NOTES

[illegible]

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[illegible] from 1888 up to the time last [illegible] when it was passed to Mr. [illegible] wishes to occupy the same position for another track in the [illegible] the Great Western [illegible] the opening will [illegible] several of the [illegible]

ST. FRANCIS ACCEPTS.

The St. Francis A. A. of Charlestown accepts [illegible] of the North End [illegible] next Tuesday [illegible] Charlestown, for the [illegible] of North and West End and Charlestown for a side bet of $100 [illegible] the hands of Bert [illegible] Charlestown Navy Yard [illegible] Baldwin street, Charlestown.

FADS I LEARNED IN PARIS —Mme Cavalieri will tell in the Sunday American how the French women enhance their beauty.

STAR PLAYERS ARE IN LINE

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Results of Boxing Bouts

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"And I like the legitimate too, honest George. I think you remind me of it, in a way, because you're so good and natural and strong and—and—well, you're just the legitimate, George. Mr. Arnold Daly's a good deal like you, George, only he's more of a—of a—well, he's more of a—of a—Mr. Arnold Daly, George. Mr.

American Readers Strive for Christmas Prizes

Here are more Christmas present ideas from AMERICAN readers.

The AMERICAN'S Christmas contest bids fair to be more popular than any that have gone before.

Of course you already know what the contest is all about. Well, if you don't here is the proposition:

Little Bobbie's Ma wants your advice about Christmas presents, and the BOSTON AMERICAN is giving away $25 in cash prizes to the persons sending in the best lists of five presents, one each for father, mother, husband, grown-up daughter and little Bobbie, the total cost not to exceed $5.

The prizes will be.

First prize, $5.

Second prize, $5.

Third prize, $5.

And ten $1 prizes for the next best suggestions.

In sending in your suggestions be sure you include suggestions for gifts for all five. It is not stipulated that these presents must be bought ready-made, for little Bobbie's Ma is very clever at "making things."

Send your suggestions to the Christmas Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, Boston. Write legibly on one side of the paper only, and DO NOT pin your letters sheets together.

Here are some of the best replies:

Just How to Make Them.

Christmas Editor:

Below are suggestions for presents which, if properly made, will prove very acceptable to those for whom they are intended:

Father, one pair elderdown bed slippers ..... .60

Mother—One flannelette dressing sacque ..... .95

Bobbie's Pa—One tie rack ..... .85

Sister—One embroidered corset cover .50

Bobbie—One pair roller skates 1.50

Total $4.70

Elderdown bed slippers—One yard white elderdown, 56c.; two yards white satin ribbon, 10c. Cut in four sections, two sections when sewed together to compose one slipper. Sew with seam on centre line of foot. Roll top over one inch and bind with ribbon.

Flannelette dressing sacque—Four yards lavender and white flannelette, having a pattern suitable for Bobbie's grandma, at 15c. per yard, 60c.; two yards white satin ribbon, 20c.; one yard plain lavender, 10c. Trim with bow of lavender ribbon and lace with plain lavender.

Tie rack—This comes complete and stamped for embroidering. As a rule, "the thing you bind" is part of the embroidery. Two yards satin ribbon to suspend with, 10c.

Embroidered corset cover—Stamped corset cover, 50c.; four skeins Ilionia, 12c.; four yards blue baby ribbon, 20c. A simple flower pattern may be selected and will prove more effective than one more elaborate.

All above prices are included in the total cost.

MRS. ALFRED L. GIBSON.

No. 65 Spear street, Quincy.

Stands by Bobbie's Pa.

Christmas Editor:

If my suggestions will help Bobbie's Ma in selecting presents for her loved ones at Christmas I shall feel happy.

As Bobbie's Ma is clever with the needle, everything that can be made by her will be most appreciated.

For her mother, a warm flannelette house jacket could be made for $1.

For father, a silk or muffler, silk or wool, to cost $1.

For Bobbie's Pa—and he certainly deserves to be remembered, for without him perhaps the other members of the family could not have their presents—give him half-dozen good handkerchiefs, paying for them $1.

For Bobbie's big sister, make her a pretty lawn waist, goods and spool cotton to cost $1. And last, but not least, Bobbie, a pair of warm gloves would be just the thing, $1.

MRS. ALICE SHERRY.

No. 22 Mt. Pleasant street, Woburn.

Aren't Bootjacks Out of Date?

Christmas Editor:

Father, bootjack	$1.00
Mother, pair of bed slippers	.75
Mother, crochet shawl	1.00
Bobbie's pa, shirt	1.00
Sister, house slippers	.75
Bobbie, sled	1.00
Total	$5.00

I would make mother a shawl, as it takes over fifteen skeins of 5 cents each.

MRS. FRED FESSENDEN.

No. 9 Beacon street, Chelsea.

Bound to Keep Ma Warm.

Christmas Editor:

Will try and help Bobby's Ma.

Mother, full shoulder shawl	$1.25
Father, pair warm slippers	1.00
Bobby's pa, silk necktie	1.00
Sister, box stationery, with monogram	1.00
Bobby, sled	1.00
Total	$5.00

MRS. GEORGE A. HAM.

East Brookfield.

Make An Artist of Bobbie.

Christmas Editor:

Please accept my suggestions to "Bobbie's Ma" for Christmas presents, trusting she may be benefited thereby:

Father—Cardigan jacket	$1.25
Mother—House slippers	.75
Bobbie's Pa—Pair of gloves	1.00
Sister—Handkerchief sachet to be made by Bobbie's ma	.50
Bobbie—Miniature drawing outfit	1.50

Wishing you and Bobbie's Ma a merry Christmas.

MRS. C. C. LAIRD.

12 Morris Street, West Lynn.

Says Slippers Are Good.

Christmas Editor:

I think the following gifts would be appropriate and useful, for the same time they are articles of which one can never have too many:

For grandpa, warm pair slippers	$1.25
For Bobbie's pa, two neckties	1.00
For Bobbie's sister, doz. handkerchiefs	1.00
For Bobbie, pair of fleece-lined gloves	.50
Total	$5.00

MRS. E. A. CAMERON.

No. 21 Moseley street, Dorchester.

Penalty For Pa.

Christmas Editor:

Please accept my suggestions which may help some one.

Father, pair President suspenders	$1.00
Mother, Percale shirt waist suit	1.25
Bobbie's Pa, box of cigars	1.00
Bobbie's sister, neck muffler	.50
Bobbie, jaleot	.75
Bobby, engine and two cars	1.00
Total	$5.00

For the shirt waist suit, 10 yards of percale, over a dozen shades to select from, at 12½ cents, is plenty for a suit.

MRS. W. E. SPICER.

No. 14 Warwick road, Melrose Highlands.

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Christmas Editor:

Here are my suggestions:

Mother, set of side combs	$1.00
Father, set of shirt fasteners	.50
Husband, pocket diary	.75

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The Duke That Got the Bounce

The Duke of Marlborough, whose wife was formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt, is being snubbed on all sides in London because of the way he treated his wife. Recently at a dinner given by the King to the Knights of the Order of the Garter he went to Windsor Castle, but is said to have been informed that he was not wanted.—NEWS ITEM.

Poor folk have their troubles
When the rent man calls;
Rich ones break like bubbles
When the stock list falls;
But of all the troubles ever known—
Of every woe and fluke—
Of all the ills that brought a moan,
The worst have bit a Duke.

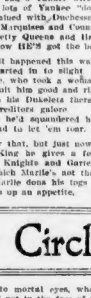
Then finds his Kingdee's raised the bars
For him on that pay night.
My word! But it's a lonesome life,
For Marlborough, y' know.
Once he had a Yankee wife
With gobs to throw "Sunday."
They trained with Duchesses and things,
With Marquises and Counts;
With pretty Queens and kindly Kings,
But now HE'S got the bounce.

Y' see, it happened this way—
He started in to slight
His wife, who took a wo'han's way
And got him good and right.
Then on his Dukeless there did pounce
His creditors galore
As he'd squandered his allow'nce,
He had to let 'em soar.

Not only that, but just now, when
The King he gives a feast
For the Knights and Lords of the Garter men,
Of which Marlb'ro not the least,
Why, Marlie done his togs and stars,
Works up an appetite,

"He started in to slight his wife".

Oh, it's fine to be a mighty man
And wear a mighty seal!
But since the great Duke's woes began
It makes a fellow feel
That leadin' just an simple life
And drawing steady pay
(Which ev'ry week goes to your wife)
Beats Duking any day.



"But now he's got the bounce."

The Yellow Circle

A THRILLING MYSTERY
By CHARLES E. WALK
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CHAPTER VII.—(Continued.)

LIKE Mr. Gibbs, she had no word of censure for Miss Day; she could not banish from her thoughts the image of that swift transition in the bride's lovely countenance, from joy ineffable to tragic horror; and if there is a light supernal, visible to mortal eyes, where is it to be found if not in the face of a willing bride?

But the pinched, anguish-stricken look which had so rapidly succeeded the other remained in Miss Edith as persistent as the curse of Kehama,

> "And sleep shall obey me,
> And visit or shun
> And the curse shall be mine
> Forever and ever."

And so she had remained wakeful through out the night, the watches of the night.

Loyalty at once influenced her to reject the obvious explanation; she would not for a moment entertain the idea of an unknown lover. Furthermore, their devotion precluded the very possibility of another love's existence, unless—and here she paused—unless that lover bore a part in the portion of Dolly's life that had been lived before she came to Williamsburg. Miss Gerwise was tempted to admit very reluctantly, that some pages of that distant period had never been turned for her perusal.

She reviewed the facts as she knew them.

Delving in Dorothy's Past.

Dorothy's mother had died when her daughter was a baby. Dorothy's education had but the dimmest remembrance of her; while her father had passed away a few months prior to her arrival in Williamsburg.

At this stage she asked the identical question Mr. Gibbs had asked of Dolly herself: "Miss Day, why had she chanced to select Williamsburg as a place of residence? And received no more satisfactory reply than had Mr. Gibbs.

Dolly herself had laughingly said that the city had appealed to her by reason of its dirt and its ugliness, whereas the result attached to cleanliness in a place where she was obliged to keep clean, and Williamsburg's soot and resultant disgust were a powerful incentive to self-effort. Besides, Dolly had said, she had a horror of cant books.

Neither did Miss Edith hope much from the parlor. Thoroughly sophisticated, as she was, in all the ways of the polite world, she was nevertheless very ignorant concerning the ways of detectives, never having come in contact with them; and, indeed, her lack of faith on this point was not without warrant, since the police were, for the present, of the same opinion.

It remained, then, for Dolly's friends to find, if found it were possible, the clue to mystery.

Her cogitations were interrupted by a servant announcing Mr. Cole.

Miss Gerwise's first impression was one of relief at the gentleman's appearance here on indication of his recent strenuous efforts. A cold bath and a hearty breakfast at the club had combined to set him on his own legs, and the donning of a painstakingly correct costume had further improved his appearance. A slightly self-satisfaction and to fill his soul with good will toward all the world.

It is perhaps worthy of note that such was the frame of mind with which he unctuously approached Miss Edith, and that it was invariably not infrequently to rout her from the bed, passed ten minutes of her coveted society.

The Adventure at the Church.

But to return, briefly, to the alley behind St. Stephen's. A few minutes after the felling blow from the unseen aggressor, Officer Spotwood, in quest of his lamp, was considerably astonished to encounter at the alley's mouth a gentleman in a dress suit, clinging dizzily to the fence with one hand while he nursed his head with the other, and swearing with a picturesque and graphic volubility that obviated the necessity of any questioning on the part of the policeman.

The latter, after a moment of surprised listening, grasped the dazed Cole more securely against his support, and darted away for a short, futile search for the scarred unknown. Not only was there no sign of him, but the bootjack had vanished.

Still, one small circumstance is of sufficient consequence to record.

Spotwood found a business card on the sidewalk some dozen feet from the alley.

"Is this of any account?" he asked, handing it to the young man and bringing the flashlight to bear upon it.

Cole read aloud. "Leporello, Beer, Clairvoyant; Revealer of the Past, Present and Future. Oh, the devil!" he broke off, flipping the bit of pasteboard into the street. "I hoped you had found something. Spot."

Not many hours later he was to deplore the fact that he had not retained that card, for, at least, that he had not examined it more closely for any written word or clew it might have contained.

However, the blow had sent his wits wool-gathering; his head ached horribly, and he was incapable of dealing with any deeper problem than lay in following the shortest way home—or what signified home for him.

Now he stood in the presence of Miss Gervaise, immaculate as to attire, strong and clear-limbed; in reality forceful and masterful, and glowing with good, healthy red blood, but hiding it all behind a well-pressing blase mask, which, unfortunately, had many straining spots in it, by reason of a Hibernianism—before he was born.

"Oh, so you have come at last, have you?" was Miss Edith's petulant greeting.

"Really, Edith, expostulated he, "I'm not want to disturb you too early. After last night——"

"There, that will do," she interrupted. "After last night you might have known that I would be particularly impatient until you arrived. I am out of sorts, and I have no one with whom to divide my ill-humor. Draw up a chair; I want to talk to you."

And in the twinkling of an eye his buoyancy evaporated, his cheerful, self-assured vanished. He obeyed, meekly, but without undue haste. He was extremely sorry he was at all times to please Miss Gervaise, but was perpetually in doubt how to go about it; consequently, although he affected a bored expression, he was consciously alert, while in her presence, to anticipate her wishes.

Miss Gervaise Remembers.

"I suppose you have found nothing, discovered he, merely by way of something to say.

Miss Gervaise ignored this remark completely as she took in the details of her visitor's costume, and as a bit nettled that she could find nothing therein to criticise, and then announced, quite calmly and without beginning:

"I recollect where I saw the man with the scar."

A flicker of interest might have been observed in Mr. Cole's countenance, but he waited in silence for further outgiven.

"Yes." Her head nodded with a pretty, bewildering air of thought. "I thought and thought until I believe my poor head is ready to burst; and this morning just at daybreak—it came to me like a flash.

"What did?" Mr. Cole inquired, dryly.

A spark of disapproval in the brown eyes momentarily dimmed the blue.

"If you would devote one-half the effort to what I have," said she severely, "you wouldn't be so slow to understand."

Cole subsided. "I daresay," he muttered.

"And you do not even attempt to defend yourself!" the little lady suddenly flared. "You are just standing there, looking—looking you!"

"Not an object," complacently from the man.

"Oh, I shall not lay the tip of my fingers upon you. But I mean to stir up your wits!"

"Perhaps if you would tell me what cause for this unusual and unmerited scolding, I mean," suggested Cole; while he felt a particular reason for acquiring the information, he was not without curiosity.

Presently she sighed, resignedly, and began in a tone of explanation.

"Dear me, Foster, I am afraid you are hopeless. I'll try once more; you would listen, I would tell you."

He nodded quickly assent.

"Do," said he, with quiet earnestness, "I am a particular person to acquire being all the information I can concerning that scar."

"Well, I am glad to learn that you are interested even to this extent.

"One day last week," she pursued, "Dolly took me for a ride in her new motor. She learned to run it herself, you see, and just as we drove up to the gate the man was standing on the curb, staring at her in the rudest way imaginable. I shall not tell you what he said, but she clutched my arm and answered excitedly, 'Look, Edith! Look at him!'

"I scanned her that I did not know. She looked at me as if I were a dunce. A week she had not been able to stir from the house without encountering this strange man, and that he always watched her in the same rude, intent manner, until she passed out of sight. His conduct filled her with horror; but when I suggested that she mention it to Mr. Gibbs or the police, she laughed and said that, after all, perhaps the man didn't know any better, and that she would see him on the list with her accustomed admirers."

"And she didn't know the bogarrt" inquired Mr. Cole, His mask of indifference now hid a very lively interest, of which Miss Gervaise was doubtless sensible. She paused, however, vigorously, and continued:

"No but, Foster"—she regarded him impressively—"I mean to find out——"

"Ah," and, with a look resignation, he settled himself to listen.

"——with your help," proceeded Miss Gervaise. "You know pretty often of your familiarity with the city. Very well; find that man with the scar; you know where to look for him."

"Foster Cole came as near emitting a crack as his admirable self-control would permit.

"Indeed—but I assure you I don't. Do you suppose he's waiting about town to be called?" Hardly!"

"What could he be 'nabbed for?" asked the young lady, curiously.

"Well—er—hem—u—u"——was the lucid reply.

"That is an addition to the category of crime of which I was not aware," observed Miss Gervaise.

"Hang it, Edith! Do you really mean that you want me to go prowling through the purlieus of Williamsburg searching for a chap with a scar on the back of his right hand?"

"Oh, not at all, if you find it so inconvenient. I thought—perhaps——"

"Yes, know I'll do it—if you really want me to."

(To Be Continued To-morrow.)

Strenuous Life Fails To Tire Fair Debutantes

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

Debutantes are certainly having their innings and as I run into them most at one smart function and then another, I can't help wondering how their bright, happy faces still continue to bloom and their eyes to retain the brightness of the beginning of the season.

They dance all night, or practically all night, attend the innumerable debutante teas and receptions during the day as well as lend a hand to the many charitable bazaars now in progress and wedge in a few moments for Christmas and other shopping.

Almost every night this week has had its debutante dance and when these fair creatures are not tripping the light fantastic they are revelling in the realms of bridge for grand opera is, of course, their mecca.

The largest ball of the Winter is given to-night at the Somerset by Mrs. William Lowell Putnam, to introduce her daughter Miss Katherine L. Putnam, one of the most charming and accomplished of the buds of the Winter. Over a hundred invitations have been accepted.

Then to-morrow Mrs. Charles Lassell is introducing her pretty youngest daughter at a tea, when the Misses Eleanor Cabot, Katherine Doty, Constance Zerrahn, Margaret Richardson, Margaret DeFord, and Elizabeth Burgess, debutantes; the Misses Josephine Iler, Grace Stackpole, Ella Lyman and Ruth Flint, who were buds of last Winter, will assist at the tea table.

On the night of the 14th, Mrs. Lassell is to give a supper party at her Exeter street home, afterward taking her young guests on to the Druid ball at the Somerset.

To-morrow is the day which has been chosen for the reading which Mrs. Charles H. Flske, Jr., is to open her house on Bay State road. The reading will be given by Mrs. Charles Sherman. A few of the numerous particularly interested are: Mrs. Timothee Acamowski, Mrs. Stephen H. Bent, Mrs. Charles F. Fiske, and Mrs. Frederick S. Converse.

One of the social events of the near future to watch the fashionables are looking forward to is the reception which Mrs. Ezra C. Fitch is to give next Wednesday at her home on Commonwealth avenue in honor of her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Conover Fitch, whose marriage was celebrated at Long Island during the latter part of the summer.

Mrs. Fitch was Miss Gladys Bogart of Mrs. H. John Lyman's house party in Brookline and is already somewhat acquainted here for, during the Winter she was entertained by members of the Boston colony at Manchester-by-the-Sea and attended one of the important dinner dances at the Essex Country club. She is a most attractive young woman and much admired.

Mrs. Conover Fitch and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ezra C. Fitch, Jr., are making their calls in couples and are considering it an important addition to our list of young matrons this season.

Miss Katherine Sutcliffe, the debutante daughter of Mrs. Philip L. Sutcliffe, is to have a dance given by her aunt, Mrs. Robert Lawson, on the evening of December 10.

Mrs. Charles Nagel, wife of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor and a sister of Mrs. Philip Dexter Coolidge of Beacon street, Marlboro street, has just been called to Rochester by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Isaac H. Llonberger.

Maximilian Agassiz of Cambridge, who spent the Summer at Newport, as did Professor Alexander Agassiz, has arrived in Newport this week for a brief visit.

Nathaniel Thayer and his family are expected at their town house at No. 22 Fairfield street, Commonwealth avenue, having a late season at their country home in Lancaster. Mrs. Thayer, the Misses Thayer, Mertke (Cornelia Thayer) has just recently been presented at the Court of St. James's, the regation headquarters in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Goodwin of this city are among the late arrivals at Hot Springs, in Virginia.

Mrs. John C. Phillips' house in Washington has just been leased to Representative and Mrs. F. D. Ellerbe of New York Mrs. Phillips and her daughter, Miss Marion Phillips, will spend the Winter in Massachusetts and will sail for England with Mrs. William Phillips of the United States Embassy in London in the Spring.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilfred T. Grenfell, who were married recently in Chicago, will arrive in Boston on Monday and will be entertained by a number of their friends here. They are to go to Labrador in March and from there will go to Newfoundland in April to be at the head of the mission of their new home in St. Anthony. The Grenfells are the guests for a part of the honeymoon at Hot Springs, Va., but were in Washington for Thanksgiving festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham are again at their country house in Wenham, where they expect to remain until after Christmas. They have recently returned from several months abroad in Europe.

Mrs. Lars Anderson is to entertain the members of the Authors' Club at her home in Brookline on December 9.

William T. Aldrich, whose engagement to Miss Josephine Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Howe Davenport of Beacon street, was announced at the time of the Summer, has just returned from Europe and is spending a few days with the Krumpleasels at Cecile.

At the dinner dance Tuesday evening in honor of their debutante daughter, Miss Katherine Doty, of Chilcoat and Mrs. George B. Doty, the decorations of the ballroom of the Doty mansion were a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums. Mrs. Doty's gown was of black velvet, with silver trimmings, and her daughter was in white satin, with trimmings of pearls. The ushers at the dance were Fessenden Blanchard, John Parker, Stuart Woodward, Richard Everett, William Mason, John Sweetser, Harold Peters, Little Montgomery Goodale, C. P. Chandler, Ralph Lowell and William Apple-ton.

Mrs. Philip Stoneham, a social leader of London, Eng. and, when husband is Philip Stoneham, a member of the British Parliament, is expected here next week, when she will be the guest of Mrs. George Perry Morris of Brookline. She will probably be here a week at least and during her stay she will receive much attention socially. A number of rare those dinners and luncheons are already being arranged in her honor.

A large reception is to be given by Mrs. Robert A. Leeson at her residence on Commonwealth avenue on Thursday afternoon, December 9, from 3 until 7 o'clock. She will hold another reception at the same hours on the 10th also.

ANOTHER STORY

"Young man," said the serious gentleman, "did you ever pause and think that each tick of the clock took you another moment nearer to the end of your existence?"

"I was thinking of something of that kind this very moment, cheerfully replied the youth, "only the idea struck me that each tick brought pay-day that much nearer."

FADS I LE ENED IN PARIS—Mme Cavalieri will tell in the Sunday American how the French women enhance their beauty.

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A single attack of the grip may mean a lifetime of misery if proper precautions are not taken to build up the system and drive out the lingering poisons that cause the so called "after-effects" of the disease.

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Mrs. W. H. Parker, of No. 96 West Union street, Newark, N. Y., tells of her cure by this treatment as follows:

"I was sick for two years following an attack of the grip and could get little relief from the doctors' treatment. I had a dreadful cough, pain in my side and everyone thought I was going into consumption. I was extremely nervous and could not sleep nights. I suffered so that I couldn't sit still. During this year I had to lie down most of the time. My head ached constantly and my head ached frequently. I lost a great deal in weight, had no ambition and was not able to do much work. I had no appetite at all and my stomach was so weak.

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GOOD VOLUME OF TRADING IN REAL ESTATE

Trading in the real estate market continues active and another good volume of sales was reported today.

In the Back Bay the St. Vernon Congregational Society has purchased from William B. Durant, title passing through Annie L. Woods, the three-story octagon-front brick house and 2,570 square feet of land at No. 383 Marlboro street, between Massachusetts avenue and Hereford street. This estate is taxed on a total valuation of $20,000, of which $13,500 is on the land. The purchasers will use it for a parsonage.

Samuel Rieker has sold to Morris Chasen a furnished freehold apartment house and store on the northeast side of Dover street, between Harrison avenue and Albany street, containing 4,000 square feet, taxed for $45,000, of which $15,000 is on the land.

In Roxbury the property at Nos. 5-7 Elmer street, comprising a two-family house and a one-family house, with a total area of 5,000 square feet, taxed for $5,000, has been sold by Mary E. Lane to Mary A. Lane.

Title is passing at Nos. 255 Bowdoin street, West Somerville, from Annie L. Moore et al. to Frank A. Moore et al., the property consisting of a two-family house and 2,000 square feet of land, taxed for $4,000, which is now owned by Annie L. Moore.

Henry F. Sullivan has sold to Frank C. Allen a two-family house and lot at 5 Bonair street, Roxbury, containing 4,970 square feet, taxed for $5,000.

Arthur Jacobs has sold to Jacob Rosenblatt his one and one-half story frame store and lot on Ward street, Mattapan, containing 2,800 square feet, taxed for $1,000, which has been sold to Thomas H. Connolly by Charles Fuller.

In Dorchester is three apartment frame house and 3,425 square feet of land on the northeast side of Neponset avenue, which was sold by Clara E. Miller to Charles E. Hamblin. This property is assessed for a total of $7,000.

Bertha M. Sweetser has conveyed to Harriet C. Tenney land in Nos. 92 Sawyer avenue and 2 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, containing 5,000 square feet, the total of sections, of which $1,000 is on the land. Charles E. Sweetser has conveyed to Bertha M. Sweetser the frame house and 5,810 square feet of land on Nos. 92 and 94 Sawyer avenue, Somerville, William T. Sweetser et al. convey to Charles F. Eno of Charlestown, the purchaser for investment, the area of the land is 8,280 square feet, carrying a total assessment of $3,000.

The same letter also reports the sale of the two-and-a-half story frame dwelling, situated on No. 29 Ames street, Charlestown, by Charles Sweetser et al. to Annie L. Moore et al., containing 4,000 square feet, taxed for $2,000. The property is taxed for $2,000, $500 being on the land.

Robert A. Moore has sold to Abraham Wilson a lot of land on Hill street, Dorchester, containing 4,666 square feet, taxed for $500.

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THEATRICAL MEN COL. STONE'S GUEST

The Boston Theatrical Managers' Association was entertained yesterday at the country estate of Colonel Frederick Stone at Wellesley, going there in automobiles from the Tremont Theatre. A feature of the dinner was the large number of dishes served from products of Colonel Stone's farms. The party then motored to the estate in Weston of Andrew Anderson, proprietor of the Hotel Cheshire, where they were hospitably entertained. Among the after-dinner speakers was Colonel Stone's home were John B. Schoeffel, Harry Farren and Lindsey Morison. Others in the party were A. L. Wilbur, Majestic; R. F. Jenette, Globe; E. D. Smith, Castle Square; George W. Magee, Grand Opera House; P. B. Gaulan, Colonial; Charles F. Waldron, New Casino; William D. Andrews, Park; A. L. Lerner, Boston; and W. Sheehan, Tremont; Mark Sherlck, Judge J. Albert Brackett, Lawrence McCarty and Major Moses Greeley.

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COTTON EXCHANGE RAISES COMMISSION

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The meeting of the New York Cotton Exchange to consider the proposal to raise commissions from $7.50 to $10 for members of the exchange, and from $15 to $20 for non members, resulted in the adoption of a resolution that such an advance in the commissions should be charged on all business originating in the eastern hemisphere.

FRENCH TAKE 1,000 ARABS; 20 KILLED

PARIS, Dec. 3.—A battle in which twenty-seven were killed and many wounded is reported today in dispatches to the colonial office. A detachment of sixty-five French soldiers, according to reports from Berki, Erdi district, captured a caravan of 1,000 Arabs. Five of the soldiers were killed outright fatally hurt. Fifteen Arabs were killed.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS; LATEST FINANCIAL NEWS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

The market is at present in a trading position.

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There are too many feverish influences at work to permit any sustained advance.

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But the underlying strength is shown by the way prices hold against bear raids.

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The class of operators now controlling the market change their sentiment daily.

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There is a stock exchange maxim against selling on railway strike news.

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The bears point to the fact that no matter what President Taft or Speaker Cannon may want to do, Congress is certain to view any uneasiness in business, the sugar investigation, telephone merger and the copper merger will all receive attention from Washington in the time although perhaps not by important motors. Another factor also that the political excitement in England will hurt Englishsecurities and compel many English investors to sell their American stocks to protect their home holdings. Then even the House of Lords may have something to say in the State Street market.

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It must be recorded, however, that there are stronger influences on the bull side of the market than on the bear side. Those who look for lower prices are nearly all professional operators or traders. In every instance where no important banker expresses his views he is looking for a steady material advance in the market, between now and the first of February. It is known that some of the strongest banking interests in the Street are buying stocks right now.

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Those who look for a better market bear in mind that no enthusiasm has been permitted to develop over the copper deal the big Steel earnings, the Hawley-Hebin Company, the sale of the Frisco, the Weil Cargo distribution or over the coming disbursements by Reading, Lehigh Valley and Union Pacific. These people feel that Stat. Street is entitled to have a campaign for higher prices, because it has retraced all movements for the last three months, except sporadic outbursts here and there.

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Developments in regard to the copper deals are favorable. There is every indication of a successful outcome of the negotiations. A sell-out of Utah copper created some excitement until it was discovered that it was the result of professional sell and was based on an ancient quarrel of no great financial importance. The railroad strike by the Northwest has forced the Boston & Montana to close its smelter at Great Falls, but the Anaconda Smelter has not been disturbed yet.

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Some attempt was made to use the possibility of this strike spreading as a bear argument. The railroads have decided to offer no compromise to the men and the effect certain will be accepted. Railroad men do not drift into sympathetic strikes as a rule, and, in fact, the compromise was decided upon before the strike was declared. Under these circumstances there is little danger of any great spread of the strike.

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The advance of Denver & Rio Grande revived the interest in the old story that Gould interests are buying that property in the open market with the consent of Gould. There should be an announcement in this regard soon, as the matter has been going on for some months, and the Western Pacific, which is to have the stake, will soon be ready to run trains.

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It is a hopeful sign that business among bond houses is less deadlocked than a month ago. Inquiries are increasing daily by day. The excellent reports from corporations generally are attracting attention in the right quarters. Barring a widespread strike among Western trainmen, the carriers will make record reports next year. No fundamental factor is more satisfactory than is that the roads have done up to November 1.

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The figures for the Chicago & Northwestern and for the St. Paul have not been made up to November 1. In the case of the latter there has been much idle talk and discussion as to the ability of the St. Paul to maintain its dividend, but it can be stated upon authority that the payment is safe beyond the peradventure of a doubt.

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The St. Paul itself has put out $28,000,000 at 4 per cent., but the obligation on new securities will be partly offset by refunding of $17,102,000 bonds, bearing interest at 5 per cent., 6 per cent. and 7 per cent. per annum, on January 1 at a lower rate of interest. The earnings of the St. Paul per se are now increasing at a rate that justifies an expectation of an enhancement of at least $1,000,000

STREET NEWS HEAVINESS IN RAILROAD LIST

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Railroad shares continued heavy today under the influence of the strike of switchmen in the Northwest and fear that it would extend to the Western roads. There was considerable selling by commission houses based on this belief, although it is known that a compromise will be made to the strikers, which it is believed they will accept.

Opening prices were around the closing figures of yesterday, but a few minutes after the beginning of the trading the railroad list sold off at an average of one-half point.

Liquidation of New York Central was renewed, and revived talk of a split subsidy inspired buying of Pacific Mail stocks, which advanced one point. Traction shares were active and higher.

Good buying of Consolidated has again appeared and resulted in a gain of one point. Trading was fairly active for the first three quarters of the session, but fell off considerably.

Copper stocks improved after opening heavy. The losses in Boston shares were wiped out and replaced with fractional gains.

While the purchase of control by J. P. Morgan of the Equitable Life Assurance Society was considered by Wall Street as one of the biggest deals put through in recent years, it did not figure to any influence on the stock market.

American shares were irregular in London. On the New York curb market the copper shares were slightly lower, but later improved. La Rose was strong and sold at 5¾.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch. T. & S. F.	118⅞	118⅝	118⅞
Can. Pac.	181½	180½	181½
Balt. & Ohio	115	114⅝	114⅝
Chesapeake	75	74⅝	74⅝
Canadian Pac.	178⅝	178	178⅝
Ches. & Ohio	75	74⅝	74⅝
Chic. Gt. West.	19⅝	19	19⅝
Chic. M. & St. P.	154⅜	153⅝	154⅜
Chic. & N. W.	175⅝	175	175⅝
Colo. & Southern	57	56⅝	57
Denver & Rio G.	49½	49	49½
Erie	32⅝	32⅛	32⅝
Gt. Northern pf.	140⅝	140	140⅝
Int.-Metropol.	24½	23½	24⅛
Int. Met. pf.	66½	66½	66½
Louis. & Nash.	149⅝	149	149⅝
M. K. & Tex.	37	37	37
Missouri Pac.	70⅝	70	70⅝
N. Y. C. & Hud.	126⅝	126	126⅝
N. Y. Ont. & W.	46⅝	46⅛	46⅝
Norfolk & West.	97⅝	97	97⅝
North. Pacific	144⅛	140⅝	144⅛
Pennsylvania	124⅝	123⅞	124⅝
Reading	169½	167⅛	169¼
Rock Island	29⅛	28⅝	29⅛
Rock Island pf.	85¾	85	85¾
South. Pacific	128⅝	127⅜	128⅝
Southern Ry.	26⅝	26	26⅝
Union Pac.	198⅝	197⅝	198⅝
Union Pac. pf.	101½	101	101½
Wabash	21½	21	21¾
Wabash pf.	45⅝	45	45⅝

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	87	85⅜	87
Am. Car & Fdy.	71½	70½	71½
Am. Cotton Oil	67	67	67
Am. Ice Secur.	26⅝	26⅜	26⅝
Amer. Locomo.	60½	60½	60½
Am. Sug. Ref.	118⅝	117½	118⅝
Am. Beet Sug.	45¾	45¾	45¾
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	90½	89⅝	90½
Anaconda Cop.	48⅛	47⅝	48⅛
Atl. Gulf & Pac.	49⅝	49¼	49⅝
Brooklyn Rap. T.	78⅜	77⅝	78⅜
Distill. Secur.	18⅝	18	18⅝
Gen. Electric	158⅜	158⅜	158⅜
Int. Paper	16	15⅝	16
National Lead	87⅝	87⅜	87⅝
Pacific Mail	51½	51	51½
Rep. I. & Steel	45½	45¼	45⅝
Sloss-Sheffield	54⅝	54	54⅝
U. S. Steel	87⅝	87⅛	87⅝
U. S. Steel pf.	127¾	127¼	127¾
Utah Copper	58⅝	57⅞	58⅛
West. Un. Tel.	77¾	77¼	77¾
Westinghouse Mfg.	83½	83	83½

*Ex dividend.

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BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	131	131	131
N. Y., N. H. & H.	134½	134½	134½

TELEPHONES.

American	141	140⅝	141
New England	124¾	124¼	124¾
Western	42⅝	42⅜	42⅝

MINING STOCK.

Adventure	7	7	7
Arizona Commercial	44½	44½	44½
Bingham	41	41	41
Butte Coalition	29	28¾	28¾
Calumet & Hecla	645	645	645
Daly-West	18½	18½	18½
Granby Consol.	82	82	82
La Salle Copper	16¼	16	16
Mass.	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Nevada Con.	27	27	27
North Butte	62½	61½	62½
Shannon	15½	15½	15½
Tamarack	65	64	65
Utah Con.	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Utah Copper	58	57⅞	57⅞
Winona	3	3	3

MISCELLANEOUS.

United Fruit	147⅜	147⅜	147⅜
United Shoe Mach.	43½	43½	43½

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated	87	86⅝	86⅞
Am. Zinc	26	26	26
Boston Con.	19¾	19¾	19¾
Boston & Corbin	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜

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	Bid.	Asked.
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Arc Cristo	1.80	1.75
Amal.	60.00	
New Penn.	.75	
Am. Pet. pf	90.00	95.00
Kinsley	.30	
Am Pet Co	77.00	
Pacific	1.00	1.05
Associated	54.00	21.50
Bakersfield	1.00	1.05
Bay City	6.50	7.00
Brookshire	1.00	1.05
Record	4.00	5.00
Bertram	15.00	16.00
Blue Ranch	1.00	1.15
Century	1.00	1.05
Rice	2.00	(United Pet.
Brookshire	1.00	1.05
B F & Mck	27.50	27.50
Columbia	2.50	2.75
Saxe Dough	2.25	2.50
Continental	1.00	1.05
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Expert accountant's statements of condition shown upon request.

East Butte	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝
Isle Royale	25	25	25
Lake Copper	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝
Miami Copper	18⅝	18⅜	18⅝
Rotary Ring	11⅛	10⅞	11⅛
Shoff Con.	109	108⅝	109
U. S. Coal & Oil	39⅛	38	39
U. S. Smelting	53¾	53⅜	53¾
U. S. Smelting pf.	82½	82½	82½

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Last.
Big State Gas	26	26	26
Boston Ely	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Cactus Devel	4⅛	4	4
Chief Con.	2	1 15-16	2
Chino	8⅝	8	8⅛
Consol. Arb.	1 7-16	1 5-16	1 5-16
Consol. Arb. bonds	92	92	92
Corbin	3⅛	3	3
Davis Daly	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
El Paso	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
El Con.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Fire Nationl Copper	6¾	6¾	6¾
Ind Gas	7	7	7
Inspiration	17⅝	17⅛	17⅝
Jerome	4⅝	4⅜	4⅝
La Rose	5 5-16	5 1-16	5 1-16
Majestic	2	2	2
Mass. Coal	17⅛	17	17⅛
Nevada Hill	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Ohio Copper	1 5-16	1 3-16	1 5-16
Raven	2	2	2
Rio Grand	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Tonopah	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Trinity	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Utah	1 15-16	1 15-16	1 15-16
Yukon	4 5-16	4 1-16	4 5-16

ONE IDEA RULES US—And Prof. Edgar Rice of Columbia University will tell all about it in the Sunday American.

LOCAL STOCK TONE IS FIRM

STATE STREET, Dec. 3.—Local stocks showed a firm tone this forenoon, although there was not a large volume of trading. Indications point to the fact that the copper merger is still unsettled, and it is believed that the time is remote before any definite announcement will be made.

Amalgamated stiffened 1⅜ points during the forenoon to 87 and very little stock was met with on the advance. Trading in it, however, was more or less of a professional nature. North Butte also generated a strong front, advancing a point to 62⅝.

East Butte was soft and settled slightly to 11, while Giroux stiffened 5c to 5¾. There was said to be some selling to the former to put into the latter.

Lake Copper sold up 2⅜ points to 58⅜. The fact that this company had shipped 3,000 shares of treasury stock on the market during the last ten days came somewhat as a surprise.

SILVER MARKET.

London bar 25¾d., up 1.16d. New York bar 51⅝c., up 5c.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

Nomination papers for the candidates of the Citizens' Municipal League are now ready for signatures. You are invited to sign for the ticket as a whole, or for any one or more candidates.

Nomination papers will be found at the following places:

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Codman & Street, 15 State St.
Chas. A. Bates, 276 Tremont St.
Voters' Club, 121 Cambridge St.
Ward 12 Republican Club, 711 Tremont St.
Benjamin Bros., 792 Tremont St.
Noyes & West, 100 Worcester St.
Young's Furnishing Store, 69 Hanover St.
Hawkes, the Tailor, 85 Beacon.
Fred G. Bergstrom, Tremont and Compton Sts.

East Boston—Robert Hodson & Sons, 10 Bennington St.

Charlestown—G. J. Cann, 159 Bunker Hill St. George T. Horan, 169 Main St.

South Boston — Hallet's Provision Store, 675 Broadway. Henry J. Bowen, 469 Broadway. Holland's Restaurant, Andrew Sq.

Roxbury — W. Ballantyne, 192 Dudley St. C. A. & F. N. Russell, 50½ Warren St. Republican Ward Committee, 277 Dudley St. Jacob J. Fischer, 2214 Washington St. Joseph R. Yendley, 1150 Columbus Ave. Republican Ward Committee, 1117 Columbus Ave. Grove Hall Tailoring Co., 657 Warren St. Harry Banash, 302 Blue Hill Ave.

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Courage, Like Fear, Is "Catching"

One Brave Man or Woman Can Inspire a Crowd with Heroism

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Recently a careless father allowed his baby, whom he was holding in the window of an elevated train in New York City, to slip from his grasp.

The child fell to the car tracks, great good fortune saving it from contact with the heavily charged third rail.

On the platform which the train had just left were several people, among them a girl of seventeen years.

All who saw the accident, save this girl, were paralyzed with horror. Another train was coming. The baby would be run over and killed. There was nothing, apparently, to be done about it.

But the girl did not allow her wits to be numbed by her fright.

She ran to the spot where the ticket chopper ought to be, to tell him to go after the baby.

She didn't find him, so she went herself.

Climbing down from the platform, she made her way along the tracks to the place where the baby had fallen.

It was wedged between two ties, but the girl, trusting that the motorman of the oncoming train would see her, tugged until the youngster was free.

Then the ticket chopper, who had returned to his post, saw her and came to her assistance.

He got her out of the way just in time for the train to pass.

His bravery was as great as hers, ONCE SHE HAD SHOWN HIM WHAT TO DO.

In every panic, in every accident, SOMEONE has to do the thinking. Few men or women are really so cowardly that they will not risk their lives to save the lives of others.

But few men or women have been taught to think quickly in cases of emergency.

And without thought, thought that is quick and decisive, there can be no action.

The rescue work of firemen is always a beautiful spectacle. Firemen have learned to think.

When they see dozens of people in the upper story of a burning building, it is their trade to get them down, not to sit, frozen with horror, and watch them burn alive.

Often in a village, where an amateur fire department answers an alarm, the men composing it are just as brave as the trained fire fighters of a city.

But they have not been taught to think quickly, and inaction that really results from mental numbness is often charged unjustly to cowardice.

There is no quality which is so useful as presence of mind, which is merely the faculty of thinking as well and as quickly in moments of surprise or shock as at ordinary times.

Fire panics, terrible in their consequences, are due to the fact that all but a few of the crowd that is in danger lose their wits, and cease thinking altogether.

The few who do think are not sufficient in number to handle the others, who are, for the time being, simply a herd of lunatics, using about as much intelligence as is employed by a herd of stampeded cattle.

When the steamer General Slocum burned six years ago, everybody, from the captain down, stopped thinking.

The result was the needless sacrifice of a thousand lives.

For, even in spite of the criminal parsimony of the owners of the boat, and the equally criminal negligence of the inspectors, a little cool-headed thought might have saved all on board.

There were plenty of heroes on that boat, plenty of instances of mothers trying to save their children at the sacrifice of their own lives, of husbands drowning that their wives might be saved.

But in spite of that the panic spread too rapidly to be checked, and the disaster became one of the most terrible in history.

The man or the woman who knows what to do, and does it, in an emergency will find plenty of followers. A mob, which, when frightened, is the most cowardly thing in existence, is, when properly led, the most courageous.

The girl, Bertha Rosenthal, to whom a careless father owes the life of his child, was, perhaps, no braver than thousands of other girls of her age.

But the fact that she had learned to think made her a heroine, and saved the life of a baby from a cruel death under the wheels of an electric train.

The incident supplies a lesson in the importance of presence of mind which is well worth studying.

The faculty of thinking quickly can be cultivated, and it ought to be.

Parents fail in their duty to their children when they do not impress it on them. And nothing that the teachers in the public schools can impart is more important than the lesson that is to be drawn from this girl's cool and courageous action.

Presidential Questions of Proportion

A disappointing word comes from Washington—that Mr. Taft has decided not to include in his message to Congress any recommendations concerning the Sherman anti-trust law, postal savings banks or statehood for the Southwestern Territories.

It is said that he will postpone these matters to others that he considers more urgent.

We hope that this report is untrue.

Our federal anti-trust legislation is nearly twenty years behind the times, and should be brought up to date at the earliest possible moment.

Thus the decision of the Supreme Court in the Standard Oil case will be final and will give us a solid working basis for the future.

The postponement of the postal savings bank question for another year, to await the report of the monetary commission, is a mere transparent ruse of the enemies of a postal savings bank.

And as for the question of statehood for Arizona and New Mexico, this long-deferred act of justice certainly deserves a sharp word of protest from the President.

It ought not to be assumed that the question is debatable, or that it will consume any considerable amount of the precious time of Congress.

If Arizona and New Mexico are to be again disappointed, the President should throw the responsibility of the scandal and injustice upon the Senate—where it has rested for so many unscrupulous years.

Never Again

By T. E. POWERS

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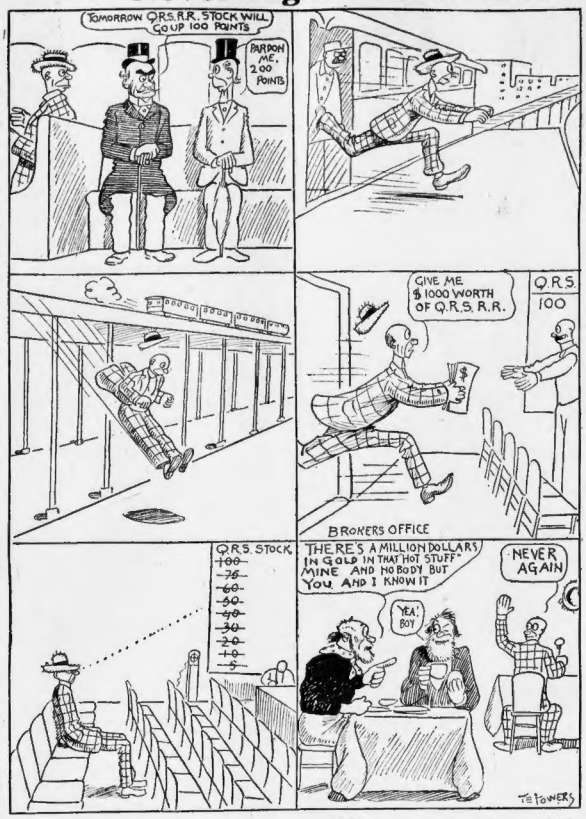

Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

WEN Ma calm hoam from the Matinay she found Pa packing a grip. Well, sed Ma, now what in the world has got into you?

I am going, Pa sed, to Central Ameriky. I am going to down the tyrant Zelay, which has ground the stars & stripes into the Nickyraggan mud. Down with Zelay, Pa sed, & down with all tyrants.

You see, wife, Pa sed, I have always been against tyrants anyhow. Wen I was a littel boy I licked the bully of the skool. I hit him with a baseball bat, Pa sed, wen he was in swimming. Then I took his clothes & ran. Coward that he was, Pa sed, he did not dare for to pursue me.

The trend of the ages, Pa sed, is toward free dom. That is why I am packing this here suit case & getting reddy to go after the tyrant Zelay.

Bobbie, Pa sed, go & git my dress suit & my cane. Hurry, too, Pa sed, for I must away.

Oh, no, sed Ma, you must not away. You must here.

Don't stop me, wife, sed Pa, in this grate move for Liberty & Right. If you know that I am going to fight, why doant you hold my coat? Doant try to keep me from doing right, when the voice of freedom calls.

Bobbie, git my tile & my new box of cigars, & put in a cuppel of bottles of Scotch, bekaus they tell me Zelay likes it, and he might as well die a slow deth as to be stabbed by me.

Look here, sed Ma. Wen Ma says Look Here, that is the saim as if she had made a speech. Look here, Ma sed, aggein. Unpack that grip.

What? sed Pa. Are you going to keep me from this grate mishun to wich I have consecrated my life to? I dount know what you have consecrated yure life to, sed Ma, & I dount care. Unpack that grip.

Is it possibel, Pa sed, that the grate principals of Freedom & Liberty is going for to be sacrificed to the petty whims of a pettycoat? Shall the doctrines wich was laid down by the Pilgrim Fathers, Pa sed, be shattered by a skirt? No, Pa sed, a thousand (1000) times no.

Unpack that grip, sed Ma. You are not going to ruin the career of Zelay, or whatever his naim is, and you are not going to ruin anybody's career, unless it is your own. All this bosh about Freedom & Liberty must go with the soft pedal, sed Ma. I think that I have you. Ma sed, where you will stand without being tied, & it shall never be sed that you are going to start in at yure age, packing sute cases with canes & evening closs & Scotch & beegling our hoam. Dont aggeran, Ma sed, I ask you to unpack that grip.

So Pa unpacked the grip & went in the library & began to read.

The moreout that Pa never gits to going anyware is packing his grip & then unpacking it.

Animal Stories

COLLECTED BY WEX JONES

A LARGE gray parrot belonging to Hi Sapp of Hanover was present in the parlor when a new phonograph was being tried for the first time. As the machine was set going, the parrot listened

attentively, and then, with a deep sigh, remarked:

"Well, that puts us parrots out of our jobs."

The same parrot, which is usually very loquacious, shut up like a clam the other day when asked by a visitor, "Polly, like a cracker?"

As the visitor repeated the question several times the parrot finally snapped out, "Nothing to say."

The bird's sagacity was not appreciated until it was afterward learned that the visitor was the reporter of the Gazette.

On one occasion Hi Sapp returned home at an extremely late hour, not long before midnight. For certain reasons not unconnected with applejack, Hi was unable to answer questions readily, so when Mrs. Sapp called from the top of the stairs, "Is that you, Hi, and what do you mean by getting home so late?" Hi couldn't frame a reply. Imagine his gratitude, then, when the parrot, imitating his voice perfectly, replied, "Yesh, m' dear, ver' late lodge meetin'."

It was Hi Sapp also, who had a strange experience with a snake. It appears that the snake had been living on Sapp's farm for some time and had become extremely grateful to him, because he never attempted to molest the creature.

So when Hi was walking along the path by his henhouse one evening he was surprised to see what appeared to be his name by the side of the grass. He looked closer, and sure enough, there was "Hi" as plain as life. It was the snake, which had twisted itself into a cupital H, and then with the aid of its tail and a pebble, had made an "I."

Naturally, Sapp stopped to watch, and the snake softly unwound itself and spelled out, S-K-I-N-K. At first Sapp imagined the snake was insulting him, but its winning smile showed him that it was trying to do him a favor. And so it proved; for a little search disclosed a skunk engaged in getting away with some of Sapp's prize chickens.

As a reward, Hi keeps the snake's skin over his parlor fireplace.

Rhymo the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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IS MADAME SALADINO IN? WHEN DOES THE GHOST SEANCE BEGIN?
TAKE A SEAT SAH.
I FEEL SO CREEPY AND SO QUEER I WONDER ARE THERE SPIRITS HERE
I SEEM TO FEEL AN ICY BLAST THE SPIRITS MUST BE COMING FAST!
DOES YOU FEEL A DRAUGHT, SAH? IF YOU DOES I CAN CLOSE DE WINDER!
Gus Mager

The Hallroom Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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GEE FERD, WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH TAKING THIS CHAIR HOME AND FIXING IT UP. WE'VE ONLY ONE IN OUR ROOMS OUTSIDE OF THE CRACKER BOX. IT'S SHT ONE LEG BUT A BROOM STICK HANDLE WILL SUPPLY THAT DEFICIENCY.
SHE LOOKS PRETTY BADLY CHIPPED.
1
HEY FERD, HAND ME THE SAW. THIS LEG IS A TRIFLE TOO LONG. WE'LL HAVE A FINE CHAIR WHEN I GET THROUGH WITH THIS
SAY PERC, WE'D BETTER BE GETTING READY FOR THE LANDLADY'S PARTY. WE HAVEN'T ANY TOO MUCH TIME. DON'T SPOSE IT'LL BE A FULL DRESS AFFAIR.
2
WHY GOOD EVENING MISS SOUPLIGH! YOU'RE BOARDING ACROSS THE STREET IN #149 AREN'T YOU? HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?
FINE FRUIT, CORN BEEF AND CABBAGE ONLY ONCE IN EVERY TWO WEEKS.
3
MAGNOLIA, WE NEED MORE CHAIRS. GO UP STAIRS AND SEE WHAT YOU CAN FIND.
YES, WE HAVE THE FRONT ROOM ON THE 2ND FLOOR - LARGEST AND FINEST IN THE HOUSE RUNNING WATER AND SOUTHERN EXPOSURE - OF COURSE, WE'VE FIXED UP OUR PLACE AT OUR OWN EXPENSE, NEW FURNITURE ETC. AS YOU KNOW HOW UNSATISFACTORY THE FURNISHINGS OF AN AVERAGE BOARDING HOUSE ARE.
4
MERCIFUL HEAVENS! MAGNOLIA, WHERE DID YOU GET THAT CHAIR?
JIMMINY! I'M GLAD I DON'T LIVE IN THIS HOUSE IF THAT IS THE MIND OF FURNITURE SHE HANDS OUT TO HER BOARDERS.
UP IN MARSE HALL-ROOMS ROOM MUM
5
MR. HALL-ROOM, WHAT ARE DOING WITH THIS OLD RATTLE TRAP OF A CHAIR IN YOUR ROOM? I SHALL OCCUPY SO A WALL ROOM SUCH AS YOU DO, I THINK ONE CHAIR IS QUITE SUFFICIENT FOR YOUR NEEDS AND I WOULDN'T CONSIDER MYSELF JUSTIFIED IN SUPPLYING YOU WITH MORE. THE VERY IDEA? GIVING EVERYONE THE IMPRESSION THAT THIS IS THE MIND OF FURNITURE MY HOUSE IS FURNISHED WITH. A NICE REPUTATION MY ESTABLISHMENT WOULD GET
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